



Power cut hits town businesses

EIGHTS INTERRUPTIONS IN TWO HOURS CAUSES DISRUPTION

BRIDPORT businesses were left to count the cost of another day of disruption as the town centre was hit by another power failure.

Much of East, West and South Street was affected by the power cut which Western Power Distribution blamed on an underground cable failure.

The electricity supply was cut at around noon and was intermittent for more than two hours before supply was restored.

But some business owners in the affected area are angry that dis-

ruption to their electricity service occurs far too often – with some claiming trade is lost due to the problem every year.

Chris Newall – director of Bridport Specsavers – said his business was badly affected by power cuts.

He said: "When it happens we can't run eye tests, can't run the till, can't do much."

"We have had people in for appointments who have been unable to wait for things to get up and running again who have ended up leaving so, yes, business has been af-

fected.

"It happens frequently – at least once a year. We have been here nine years and there hasn't been a year where there hasn't been a problem."

"Each time a different part of the town seems to be affected. It would be nice to have a secure supply."

Bridport Music on South Street relied on their computer for stock taking, internet orders and order tracking – and lost it all during the power cut.

Co-owner Steph Garner said: "It looks like we will have to replace the computer. The power kept going off and on and it looks like the computer couldn't take it."

She estimated the cost of replacing the system to be over £500.

Branch manager of estate agents Palmer Snell on East Street said his business was also disrupted by the cuts.

He said: "When it happens, of course, all our computers go down.

But our phones go down too. What makes it worse is that customers phoning the branch get a tone suggesting the phone is ringing and ringing whereas here we are getting nothing at all.

"We have heard nothing from Western Power about it so we don't know what went on."

Marie Gray was manager in charge of retailer Peacocks when the power failed.

She said: "We had to keep getting everyone out of the shop for health and safety reasons. It gets very dark. But with the power going on and off it was in out in out like the hokey cokey."

"It's frustrating really. We had no warning and no one has spoken to us about it."

Cheryl Davison of Mango Hair could not take bookings or wash or blow dry hair during the problems.

She said: "We have had problems before but yesterday took the biscuit."

Banks were forced to close during the power cut – with the same problems affecting the Post Office.

Sub Post Mistress Karen Cook said: "The problem is that it takes 15 minutes for us to reboot the system so before it came back online it would go down again."

"We must have had eight power cuts in two hours. We had pretty irate customers."

"We are not like other businesses. Because of security we have to have everyone out of the building when the power goes.

"The power surge also blew up two counters and affected the driving license machine."

"We have had to have engineers in to fix it again. It's very frustrating."

Western Power Distribution blamed the power

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zany apprentice) can offer excellent advice of what fish to choose and how to cook it in all three of our outlets (Lyme, Ottery and Exeter High Street). We don't just wear white coats for our Saturday shifts.

■ WILL you be taking part in the Mackerel and Crab festivals planned for Lyme this summer? And what's this we hear that you've invented a new sport of mackerel tossing?

The Great Dorset Mackerel Toss could become something quite big but I don't want to be specific here yet. Let's just say it's very original and a TV programme have already said they'd be interested in filming it. It'll be a great festival season for fish in Lyme this year.

There are actually three different seafood-related festivals planned, and my team and I are working with Mark Hix on all of them, especially the Food Rocks event for the first weekend in September.

■ WHAT advice would you give local shoppers who want to eat more fish because they hear it's good for them?

It's really all about where the fish is from. Processed fish has been fiddled with in a factory. If you buy local you have the reassurance that it's fresh, unprocessed and natural. And because of the variety of Omega oils in fish, it's good for your heart, your mind, memory and blood circulation. Fish will keep you chipper.

■ WHAT'S your favourite time of the year in Lyme and why's that?

Autumn - after the madness of the season.

■ WHAT are your leisure pursuits?

I'm a lifelong golfer and at nights I get my telescope out to indulge my study of astronomy. But my best thing to do on a day-off is to be with my children, Sam and Rosie.

■ WHAT would you change about Lyme if you could?

Car parking. I'd build either an overground and doubtless controversial multi-storey by Monmouth beach or an underground one in the same place!

■ IF you were planning a dinner party for six people, who would be your perfect guests and what dish would you cook?

The new Pope and five of his cardinals. I'd cook Monkfish and we could talk all evening about the meaning of Cod.

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New business forum for West Bay

NEW GROUP WILL CHAMPION CAUSES IN THE HARBOUR AREA

BUSINESSES in West Bay have formed a new business forum to tackle concerns about the new road layout scheme in the area.

Campaigners are also moving to form a neighbourhood forum which, under localism legislation, would allow them to draw up a neighbourhood plan and give them more say about what happens in West Bay.

The initiatives have come about in response to the deeply unpopular local authority 'West Bay Enhancement Scheme' which redesigned road access to the harbour area of West Bay.

Businesses in the area fear the new layout will

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hit business as traffic is discouraged from entering the centre of the resort.

A public meeting in West Bay's St John's Church on March 8th attracted over 100 angry residents and business owners.

Frustration at the meeting ran so high that it was suggested that West Bay might break away from Bridport and form a separate parish council in reaction to the scheme.

The forums are seen as a compromise which would see West Bay re-

main part of Bridport Town Council while championing causes which directly affect the harbour area.

The business forum has already met twice with WDCC officials to discuss concerns about the West Bay Enhancement Scheme.

Among issues raised were problems with locking the main car park at night and the lack of signage to promote businesses and attractions.

Also discussed was the lack of a pedestrian refuge on the new road between St John's

Church and the shops.

A further meeting was arranged with Chris Graves from the parking team at WDCC where the possibility of free parking over the Easter weekend will be explored.

Also mooted was the possibility of a business rate relief for those businesses affected by the road closure.

Councillor Kayes saw the meeting as evidence of progress.

She said: "I would like to thank all those who have made written representations about their concerns.

"Along with the results of the survey taken at the public meeting, we now have a body of evidence

about people's concerns.

"Officers at the district and county councils will be meeting to discuss the problems this week.

"I am hoping that immediate changes can be made to the Haddon House roundabout and the lack of a crossing where the pedestrian refuge was taken away outside St John's Church.

"We also spoke about the changed priority at the junction of West Bay Road with Marsh Barn Lane.

"On a positive note, there was an agreement that a sign showing a clear plan of businesses in the Bay should be clearly visible in the main car park and there has been a proposal for

signage showing suggested pedestrianised routes around the bay focusing on its main features."

"We also talked about signs at the Crown roundabout welcoming people to the Bay and focusing on its historic harbour, family activities, stunning beaches and shops and amusements.

"I am hoping the council will see fit to promote businesses in the Bay appropriately and give it the attention it deserves - especially in the light of all the publicity arising now from Broadchurch.

She added: "Finally, I believe we are moving forward."

Big salary on offer for PCC position

DORSET'S Police and Crime Commissioner is currently recruiting a new member of staff with a basic annual salary of £82,000.

Advertisements have appeared in the national press which read: "Dorset's Police and Crime Commissioner, Martyn Underhill, is recruiting a Chief Executive and Monitoring Officer to support the delivery of his vision, strategy and priorities."

The deadline for applications is given as Friday, March 22nd.

The announcement was met with criticism over the scale of the remuneration which some see as disproportionate at a time when new police recruits are facing a cut in starting salary of £4,000 to £19,000.

Councillor Karl Wallace called the salary "exorbitant." He said: "There should be a cap on the amount public servants could be paid.

"There are lots of good people out there who are capable of doing these jobs for much less."

He added: "We are pruning all the time from the bottom. We need to take it from the top too."

"They keep saying we are all in it together but some seem to be more in it than others."

Councillor David Tett said: "This adds to the costs that the taxpayer has to pay for this new fangled system of keeping the peace."

"And for those on low wages and income support... it rubs salt into a very sore and unnecessary wound."

Mr Underhill has already faced criticism over his decision to award his new Chief Constable Debbie Simpson the maximum pay rise allowable - her £146,000 is 7 per cent more than her predecessor.

A Police and Crime Commission spokesman said that the salary was greater than the equivalent position under the old Dorset Police Authority - annual salary £74,430 - but that the new position "is clearly significantly different from the previous role of Chief Executive to the Police Authority."

▼ Work on the road layout scheme in West Bay which has led to the formation of the new business forum



Traders' anger at town power supply

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cut on an "underground cable failure" saying 3,970 customers were affected but it was unconnected with the road works currently affecting East Street.

Yet a WPD spokeswoman could not guarantee the future looks any brighter for the town's beleaguered business owners, which is served by three of the company's grids.

A spokeswoman said: "We had three high voltage faults in 2012 and three low voltage problems [with one of the grids]."

"If it's a cable fault then it would not have been planned and so there is no way of warning customers."

"A number of things can cause failures - lightning strikes, the cable being cut or even a large bird on the line."

"Unfortunately we cannot predict when these things will happen. We take all our power cuts seriously and deal with them as soon as we can."

"We apologise for any inconvenience caused."

But for business in the town it is more than an inconvenience.

Dave Derham of South Street's Double D said: "Business in town is hard enough as it is. This sort of thing doesn't help at all."

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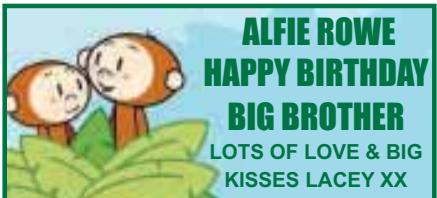
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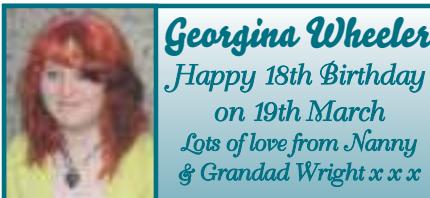
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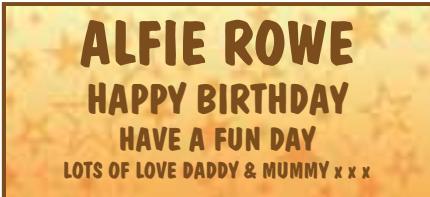
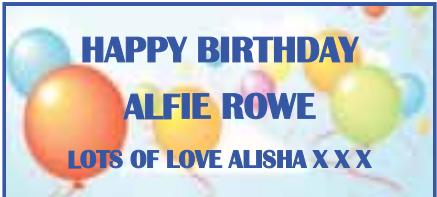
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Whole county to benefit from nationwide tourism campaign

THE Visit Dorset tourism partnership is working with VisitEngland, the national tourist board, to promote Dorset and encourage more people to holiday at home and discover the best that England has to offer.

The £41.9 million, three-year project called 'Growing Tourism Locally,' is funded by the government's Regional Growth Fund, with contributions from VisitEngland and destination partners from around the country.

The Visit Dorset partnership, which includes district and borough councils from across the county, is taking part in three exciting campaigns: Coastal Escapes, Rural Escapes, and the English Seaside.

Dorset will feature in a range of national media including network radio stations Classic FM and Gold FM, *The Guardian* and *Mail on Sunday*.

There is also a substantial programme of digital and social media activity, including Facebook competitions and dedicated Dorset pages on visitengland.com.

The campaigns aim to inspire UK residents to experience England's world-famous coastline, inspiring landscapes, historic market towns, picturesque villages and fantastic seaside destinations.

Visit Dorset is working alongside many other major holiday destinations including the English Riviera, the Peak District and Yorkshire.

Leader of West Dorset District Council, Robert Gould, said: "We are pleased that the Visit Dorset partnership has been able to support Vis-

itEngland's high profile national campaigns.

"This has provided an exciting opportunity to showcase Dorset as a leading UK holiday destination.

"Dorset has so much to offer: beautiful beaches, a wide range of attractions, stunning countryside, and the world-famous Jurassic coastline.

"We are looking forward to welcoming many more visitors to the

area to support our tourism industry on the back of these campaigns."

The Visit Dorset Tourism Partnership is made up of the district and borough councils from West Dorset, Christchurch, Purbeck, East Dorset and Weymouth and Portland.

West Dorset District Council's tourism team are co-ordinating the marketing of rural Dorset on behalf of the partnership.

Meeting will discuss X53 and 31 bus services

THE next meeting of the West Dorset Western Area Transport Action Group (WATAG) will be held on Thursday, March 28th at the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport.

Running from 6:30pm to 8:30pm the bi-monthly meeting is open to all members of the public as well as town and parish councillors interested in public transport matters.

Following the recent announcement that the X53 bus services will be a commercial operation by the date of the meeting, we will be discussing the alterations to the timetables now being implemented.

The group hopes a representative from First Bus will be present as usual together with a representative from Dorset County Council Passenger Transport Department

along with any other bus and rail operators who wish to attend.

The 31 timetable and how it could evolve will also be discussed.

Printed copies of the latest timetables should be ready for collection on the evening.

The group's "roving specialists" will also be reporting on the conferences they have attended and the contacts with Passenger Focus which have taken place.

There will be a review of items raised at previous meetings and, as always, there will be time for a "democratic moment" when any individual may raise questions about local bus and rail services

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Air ambulance called

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A crew from the Devon Air Ambulance was called after a 999 call was taken at 12:31pm on Saturday (March 16th) to attend the man in a home on South Street.

The Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance was at the time attending an incident in Portland.

The Devon-based emergency services helicopter took off from Exeter and landed in the field behind St Mary's Church - site of Bridport Community Orchard.

Witnesses saw the crew enter the South Street property to treat the elderly man at the scene with the help of the Ambulance Service.

The man was then flown to Dorset County Hospital in Dorchester where treatment continued.



■ Devon Air Ambulance crew and a paramedic from the Ambulance Service in the field behind St Mary's Church, site of Bridport Community Orchard

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What does the future hold for governance in West Dorset?

■ GIVEN the apparent reluctance of West Dorset District Council (WDDC) to issue a press release on the subject, I write to draw your readers' attention to the discussions, currently underway among councillors, on the future system of governance for the district.

I do this now as I am aware that two very expensive and contentious decisions have been made in recent years under the current 'cabinet' system of governance.

Firstly, the £15million project creating new offices for WDDC and a new Dorchester library and adult education centre and, secondly, the late addition to the new local plan of the Came View site to the south east of Dorchester for a possible 1,000 new homes.

WDDC's current system of governance is one in which all major

decisions (including the two referred to above) are made by the seven person Executive Committee (often referred to as "the cabinet").

Members of this are chosen by the Leader and are all drawn from the majority party (Conservative).

Although cabinet decisions are scrutinised by two committees made up of members from different political groups (Conservative 8, Liberal Democrat 3, West Dorset Independent 1) this check on the Executive is of very limited value in a council where party whipping plays a significant role.

Occasionally, in one of the few (five per year) Full Council meetings, a "recommendation" from the cabinet may be debated by all 48 councillors before being put to the vote.

There can be little doubt that

this system leads directly to a very significant democratic deficit with the views of many councillors playing no part at all in decisions on major issues.

It may not remain like this. Councillors are now discussing alternatives to the Leader and cabinet system including reverting to the Committee structure.

This system, allowing as it does a much broader and more representative debate on major issues, could well lead to better decision-making.

Your readers may like to find out for themselves which system their elected representatives favour and, more importantly, why they believe it to be in the best interests of the voters of West Dorset.

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Women's day

BRIDPORT celebrated the world's women over a weekend marking International Women's Day.

Events included about 50 people enjoying Sinistre's performance of Carol Ann Duffy's poems 'The World's Wife' at Beach and Barnicott.

A documentary about the suffragette Sylvia Pankhurst, courtesy of Autonomy Films, played to a packed house.

On Sunday the arts centre screened 'The Help' - a film about women's struggle for Civil Rights in the American South in the 1960s.

Over £350 was raised for Womankind Worldwide - a charity supporting women's rights throughout the world.

For more information on the events e-mail bridfem@hotmail.co.uk.

Pond to be restored

A POND is being restored and an island created on the River Brit to give endangered mammals a refuge.

The Environment Agency project to create a water vole sanctuary at Allington Pond is expected to take around a week to complete.

The agency said the protected animal was disappearing due to habitat loss and predators; the species is now only found in a tiny fraction of rivers and streams.

The UK's water vole population has dropped 90 per cent since the late 1980s, making it the UK's fastest declining mammal.

From Page To Screen line-up unveiled

by Chris Denne

chris@pemedia.co.uk

BRIDPORT'S film festival From Page To Screen is almost upon us. To help you plan your way around the events and screenings, the recently released full programme is reproduced below.

Tickets for all events can be bought from: Bridport Arts Centre box office on 01308 424204 (open Tuesday to Friday, 10am to 3pm; Saturday 10am to 4pm), Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 (Monday to Saturday, 10am to 3pm in March); 9am to 5pm in April) or online at www.bridport-arts.com

Wednesday, April 10th

At The Hayloft (above The Stables) for younger audiences:

11am WILLY WONKA AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY (U), USA,

original 1971 version, £6 / £4 kids

At Bridport Arts Centre:

11am PLEIN SOLEIL (PG) France, 1960, £6 / £4 under 16

2pm THE GRADUATE (15) USA, 1967, introduced by Joe Dunthorne, £6

4:30pm SUBMARINE (15) UK, 2010, introduced by Joe Dunthorne, £6

At Electric Palace:

11am IT ALWAYS RAINS ON SUNDAY (PG) UK, 1947, with guest speaker Anwar Brett, £6 / £4

2pm A COCK AND BULL STORY (15) UK, 2005, introduced by Joe Dunthorne, £6

7:30pm GALA OPENING - LIFE OF PI (PG) USA, 2012, introduced by Joe Dunthorne who will also discuss his festival choices, £8 / £4

Thursday, April 11th

At The Hayloft (above The Stables) for younger audiences:

11am THE PIRATES! IN AN ADVENTURE WITH SCIENTISTS (U) USA, 2012 - Aardman animation £6 / £4 kids

At Bridport Arts Centre:

4:30pm ROOM 237 (15) UK, 2012, with post-film Q&A with Jan Harland, £8

At Burton Cliff Hotel:

7:30pm (film 8.30pm) SPECIAL FESTIVAL EVENT - THE SHINING (18) USA, 1980, introduced by Joe Dunthorne and Jan Harland, £12

Friday, April 12th

At The Hayloft (above The Stables) for younger audiences:

11am THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD (U) USA, 1938, £6 / £4 kids

At Bridport Arts Centre:

11am THE AMERICAN FRIEND (15) BRD, 1977, £6

2.30pm WILD AT HEART (18), USA, 1990, £6

5:30pm BAFTA MASTERCLASS with producer Stephen Woolley £6 / £5 students

At Electric Palace:

11am AMERICAN SPLENDOR (15), USA, 2003, £6

7:30pm PREVIEW SCREENING - BYZANTIUM (15) UK, 2012 with post-

film Q&A with producer Stephen Woolley, £8

Saturday, April 13th

At The Hayloft (above The Stables) for younger audiences:

11am PONYO (U) JAP, 2008

Studio Ghibli animation £6 / £4 kids

At Electric Palace:

2pm GHOST WORLD (15), USA, 2001, post-film Q&A with producer Pippa Cross

8pm QUARTET (12A), UK, 2012, with post-film Q&A with producer Finola Dwyer, £8 / £4 U16

At Bridport Arts Centre:

5pm ENGLAND MADE ME (15) UK, 1973, with post-film Q&A with director Peter Duffell, £8

Sunday, April 14th

At Bridport Arts Centre:

11am STRANGERS ON A TRAIN (PG) USA, 1951, with guest speaker Dr Corinna Wagner, £8 / £4 U16

2pm SHORTS SPECIAL, £4

2.45pm CLUELESS (12A) USA, 1995, with guest speaker Charlie Lyne, £8 / £4 U16

5:30pm HITCHCOCK (12A) USA, 2012, £6 / £4 U16 followed by Film Buffs' Supper food and bar from 7pm

8pm PSYCHO POETICA poem recitals inspired by the Hitchcock film, £8

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Chris helps school launch newspaper

WHILE teachers across West Dorset inspired children to enjoy reading during Book Week, staff at one primary school turned the tables and got pupils writing.

The result was the creation of a school newspaper at Thorner's Primary School in Litton Cheney. On hand to advise the

youngsters as they went about setting up their publication was *View From* reporter / photographer Chris Denne.

He outlined the roles that have to be filled in order for a newspaper to run smoothly – from reporter to editor, sub to designer, photographer to sales team.

He then offered advice on interviewing techniques and writing editorials before giving pointers on ethics, objectivity and the importance of a free press.

Headteacher Mrs Chaffey was delighted the youngsters were so keen to start a newspaper.

She said: "Normally for

Book Week we dress up and celebrate the books we love."

"But this year I wanted the children to get involved with the writing side. Everything we read is written and this is a good way for them to engage with that side of it."

"I'm sure they are really going to enjoy it."

Before the morning was out, one youngster ensured that, aged ten, he would already have a photo credit in a local newspaper.

William Baldwin – who aspires to be a professional photographer one day – took the shot which accompanies this piece. A great job he did too.



IN THE CLASSROOM | Chris Denne with the year five and six pupils of Thorner's Primary School
Photo by WILLIAM BALDWIN

Sunday Times names Beaminster as one of the top places to live

BEAMINSTER has been described as one of the nation's most desirable places to live according to a report in *The Sunday Times*.

The feature listed 100 top places to live in Britain using criteria such as the quality of local schools, attractiveness of the architecture and the beauty of the surrounding countryside.

Beaminster came in at 12 - with the article citing its relatively affordability compared to closer to the coast, the annual festival, Mat Follas' Wild Garlic restaurant and the quality of its cafes.

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ASA reject complaint made against View From

A COMPLAINT about two full page advertisements in the *View From* series of newspapers has been dismissed in a final adjudication by the Advertising Standards Authority.

The advertisements were headed 'What does the future hold for Bridport's St Michael's Trading Estate' and were paid for by the owners of the site, Hayward and Co.

The ASA received one complaint about the feature and seven issues were investigated.

None of the seven issues challenged by the unknown complainant was upheld by the ASA.

The complainant challenged whether the advertisement was obviously identifiable as such; whether the photographs in the feature were misleading because they were not representative of the area; whether the advertisement was misleading because it suggested

the houses pictured in an artist's drawing would be affordable housing; whether the claim that the development would preserve the character of St Michael's was misleading; whether the claim that the scheme complied with all current plans and policies was misleading; whether the claims that the English Heritage response was inaccurate and that the historic elements of the Lilliput building and all of the Red Brick Cafe would be retained could be substantiated, and whether the claims that the buildings were of little historical value was misleading.

In responses to the complaint, Hayward and Co said they considered the advertisement to be obviously identifiable as such having produced the copy and illustrations and placed and paid for it as an 'ad'.

Hayward and Co said they considered the photographs to be typical and that

they illustrated why they were planning to undertake the development.

They also said that the development would provide attractive, affordable housing.

The site owners said the concept of 'character' in planning and building was subjective, both technically and emotionally, especially in areas like the one where the site was located.

Answering issue five, Hayward and Co said that West Dorset District Council had not responded to the application at the time the advertisement was placed but that it had subsequently approved the application subject to conditions.

On issue six, Hayward and Co said there were aspects of the letter from English Heritage with which they agreed, but there were aspects with which they did not agree and which were inaccurate.

On the final issue, Hayward and Co. said many buildings were in a poor state of repair and could not be left to decay any longer.

In a summary of the Advertising Standards Authority Council decision, the ASA stated: "Seven issues were investigated, all of which were not upheld."

Editor of the *View From* Philip Evans, said: "I am delighted with the Advertising Standards Authority adjudication. I believe it is vital we maintain ethical and accurate standards in everything we do."

"Newspapers in particular are under the microscope, and never has it been more important for us to maintain the highest standards of editorial and advertising content, something I have always believed in passionately. This adjudication just underlines the importance of those values."

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Kathlene celebrates her 105th birthday



▲ Kathlene Tingay celebrates her birthday with Jez Morris of Magna Housing

MAGNA Housing Association's oldest resident celebrated her 105th birthday at a sheltered scheme in Bridport.

Kathlene Tingay of Vernon's Court, Bridport, celebrated the occasion with close friends, family members and Magna staff who held a surprise afternoon tea party in her honour.

Jez Morris, Magna's head of housing presented Kathlene with a bouquet of flowers and a birthday cake.

Kathlene's birthday was on March 2nd but celebrations were delayed to accommodate what was described as "her busy social calendar."

She said: "This was a big surprise. I thought I was going for an afternoon walk with my family.

"It's very kind for all these people to come and I love the beautiful bouquet of flowers."

Kathlene was born in Soho, Lon-

don and moved to Bridport when she retired after falling in love with the area from childhood.

She recalled: "I had never seen the sea before my first visit to Dorset as a child. I was terrified to go in the sea at first but soon fell in love with the whole experience."

When asked what the secret was for a long happy life, Kathlene said, "staying active and happy."

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▲ Broadchurch star David Tennant enjoys a coffee in Ellipse

Book Night celebrations at West Bay bistro



▲ Co-star Olivia Colman with Pippa Horton

A WEST Bay bistro achieving national fame as one of the locations for hit TV show *Broadchurch* is to host an evening event for book lovers.

Italian Bistro Bar Ellipse is opening its doors to literature fans to mark World Book Night.

The international event was set up to commemorate the birth and death days of William Shakespeare and the deathday of 17th century novelist Miguel de Cervantes.

Nominated volunteers Annette Shaw and Pam Middlemast along with members of the Books on the Beach reading group, will be giving away books at the Ellipse between 3pm and 4pm on April 23rd.

The books on offer are *The White Queen* by Philippa Gregory and *The Secret Scripture* by Sebastian Barry.

There will also be a paperback exchange and organisers request that people please bring novels to swap or do-

nate to anyone who would like to start or rekindle a love affair

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Bridport puts on its red noses

BRIDPORT pulled out all the stops and dug deep for worthy causes as Comic Relief 2013 swung into gear.

Schools and organisations throughout the town put a smile on faces while managing to raise much-needed cash at the same time.

Bridport Primary School raised money through a talent show judged by an X-Factor-style panel of pupils and staff.

The entire school – colourfully dressed in red – cheered on performers from each year, including magicians, dancers, gymnasts and even a yo-yo performer, before the panel passed judgment.

St Catherine's held a jumble sale and cake sale to raise funds.

Hard at work was Year Four's Fred – who was compelled to help worthy causes after he learned about the plight of sweatshop workers in India.

He said: "I wanted to raise money for people who make our clothes. They have only got one room, sleep on the floor and don't have much money. It's not very fair."

St Andrew's Pre-School helped out by wearing red and organising games, while the Riverside Restaurant in West Bay brought in the funds by donating 20 per cent of the bill whenever someone ordered from their special Red Nose menu.

Bridport Music Shop sold cakes and ran a collection pot, while Bridport town crier Jane Silver-Corran

by Chris Denne
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encouraged group singing at a host of locations around the town including the leisure centre, a high street bank, Chancery House day centre and St Ronan's Pre-School.

Bridport St Mary's School collected more than £1,100 through a variety of events including sponsored silences, face painting antics, conga dancing, cake sales and a drawing contest.

Even more was brought in through a popular 'egg roulette' game which saw six teachers run the gauntlet of having an egg cracked over their head. Five were hard boiled, one – messily – was not.

Teacher Mrs Kingston – whose Year Five class raised more than any other year at the school – was proud of the entire school.

She said: "Every single child has done something. I'm really proud of them all. We watched a video of how the money raised might be spent and the children have been brilliant."

Headteacher Helen Farmer told the pupils: "Everything you have done today [for Comic Relief] has been down to Mrs Kingston" before inviting her to run the gauntlet of the egg roulette along with five lucky fellow teachers.



▲ Steph and Piers at Bridport Music



▲ Fred and friends raising money through a jumble sale at St Catherine's Primary School



▲ Town crier Jane Silver-Corran with Pretzel the dog at the end of a long day's singing



▲ Evaluna and Luca at St Catherine's Red Nose cake stall



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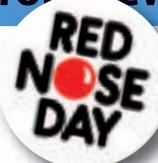
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▲ The judging panel at Bridport Primary School's talent show



▲ The audience enjoys the Bridport Primary School talent show for Comic Relief ▼



▲ One of the acts at Bridport Primary School talent show



▲ Miss Freestone of St Mary's school went shopping at a local supermarket while wearing facepaint to raise money



▲ Teachers run the gauntlet of 'egg roulette' at St Mary's

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Amongst the usual mix of activity days Osprey is now offering an indoor football academy on Tuesdays and Thursdays which when added to the half day multi activity sessions on the same day give 2 extra full days from 9am – 4pm which have recently been added to the programme earlier in the year.

Many children love using the inflatable pirate ship obstacle course during private pool parties but have the rare chance to attend the junior sessions for the over 9's which take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2 to 4pm for only £3 per child for a full 2 hours.

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Save the Children fundraisers help Syrian refugees

INTERNATIONAL charity Save the Children was given a boost when volunteers hosted a table-top sale.

St Mary's Hall on Bridport's South Street was filled with stalls supporting a variety of charities – all to the additional benefit of Save The Children.

StC are currently engaged with a nationwide push to help one particular situation, explained Bruce Upton, member of the StC Bridport and Beaminster team.

He said: "There is a big push right now to help refugee

camps in Jordan and Lebanon who are fleeing the conflict in Syria.

"This table top sale invites different groups to book tables under the umbrella of Save the Children."

In spite of competition from the previous day's Comic Relief extravaganza, Mr Upton was still seeing money flow in.

He said: "I am constantly reassured by the level of support for Save the Children in this time – in spite of the economic climate."

COLLECTING | Chris Dobbs (chairman of Bridport Save the Children) and Bruce Upton shaking Save the Children buckets



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MARY and Alan Bull of Woodlands Farm Kennels would like to thank everyone who has phoned or called for their kind words of understanding support and thanks for our past work, and all the good wishes we have received for our retirement.

We also thank the editor and staff of the *View From* for all their past help in bringing the dogs in need of homes to the attention of their future owners.

It is no exaggeration to say without which the charity would not have been able to cover their costs, and hundreds of dogs would not have had a future. Thank you.

To your readers, thanks for their financial and moral support over the years, and to the hundreds of people who have taken on our ex-stray dogs, and to those whose donations have paid for veterinary treatments, treats, toys, etc.

We remind you that the boarding kennels are closed, so you will need to make alternative arrangements for boarding for the present, but as the kennels are for sale do watch for new owners re-opening the

kennels in the future.

In the meantime Mary is continuing the dog grooming, and we will be pleased to see and chat with any of our past clients.

As I expect you all now know, Woodlands Farm Strays will stop taking the local stray dogs shortly.

In the meantime, we still need loving homes for these dogs who in not having been reclaimed have been abandoned by their previous owners.

We do not home dogs we have any doubts about their temperaments, though they may have lacked training in their past, so some need more time and patience, but they have the potential to be wonderful pets.

Currently we have:

SAFFIE, white and black cross, a very loving dog, she is lively and active can not live with a cat, she is vaccinated and spayed;

SPIKE, Gold staffie, an older male, very friendly boy deserves to have a loving home for his latter years;

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COLL, border collie male, another lively young dog about two years old he does not like to be left alone so may benefit from a canine companion, or a family member who is home

most of the time.

JESSIE, pictured below, lovely little white and tan cross, again around two years old, having spent the day out with a potential home we can give more information to anyone interested, she is vaccinated and spayed, will make a lovely companion.

We also have two other dogs who may be in need of homes if they are not reclaimed shortly.

Many thanks,
MARY BULL



Pupils throw surprise baby shower for their teacher

A PRIMARY school teacher about to go on maternity leave was given an unexpected send-off when her class threw a surprise 'baby' party.

Mrs Grove – who teaches at Bridport's St Mary's Primary School and is expecting her first baby in April – was astonished to discover the schoolchildren in her class had organised a baby-themed party in her honour.

Baby skittles and bib relay races were just some of the maternity-themed games the children devised in her honour.

She said: "It's lovely. When I told them I was pregnant the first thing they said was 'let's have a party'."

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Mrs Grove expects to be back teaching after Christmas.



▲ Mrs Grove with her class at St Mary's Primary School

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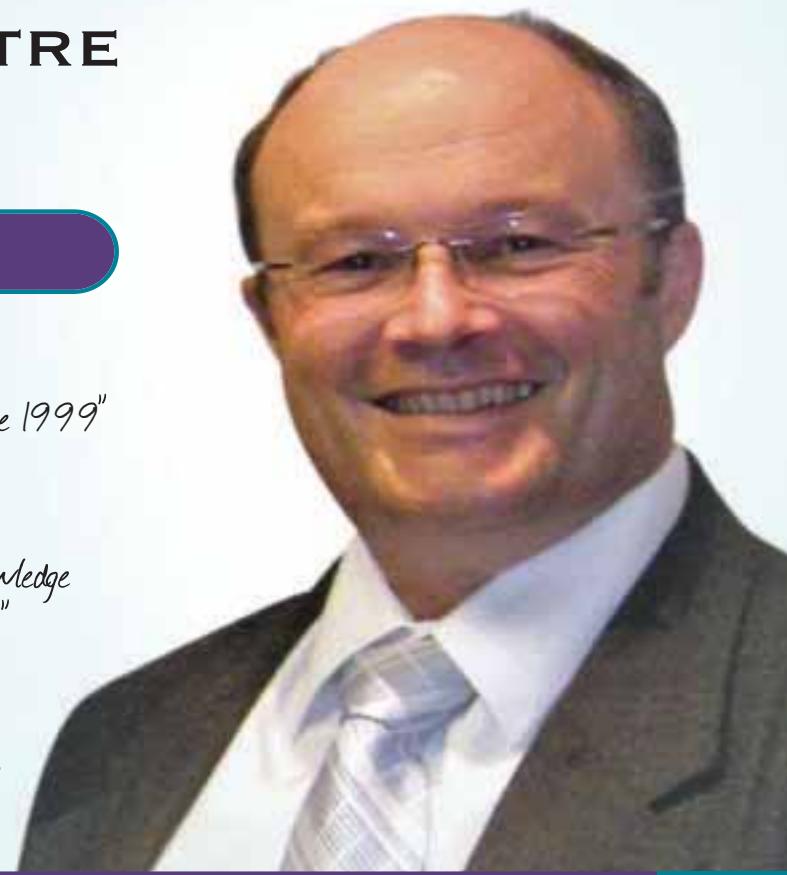
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Blues Band topped the bill on a night of twelve-bar fun.

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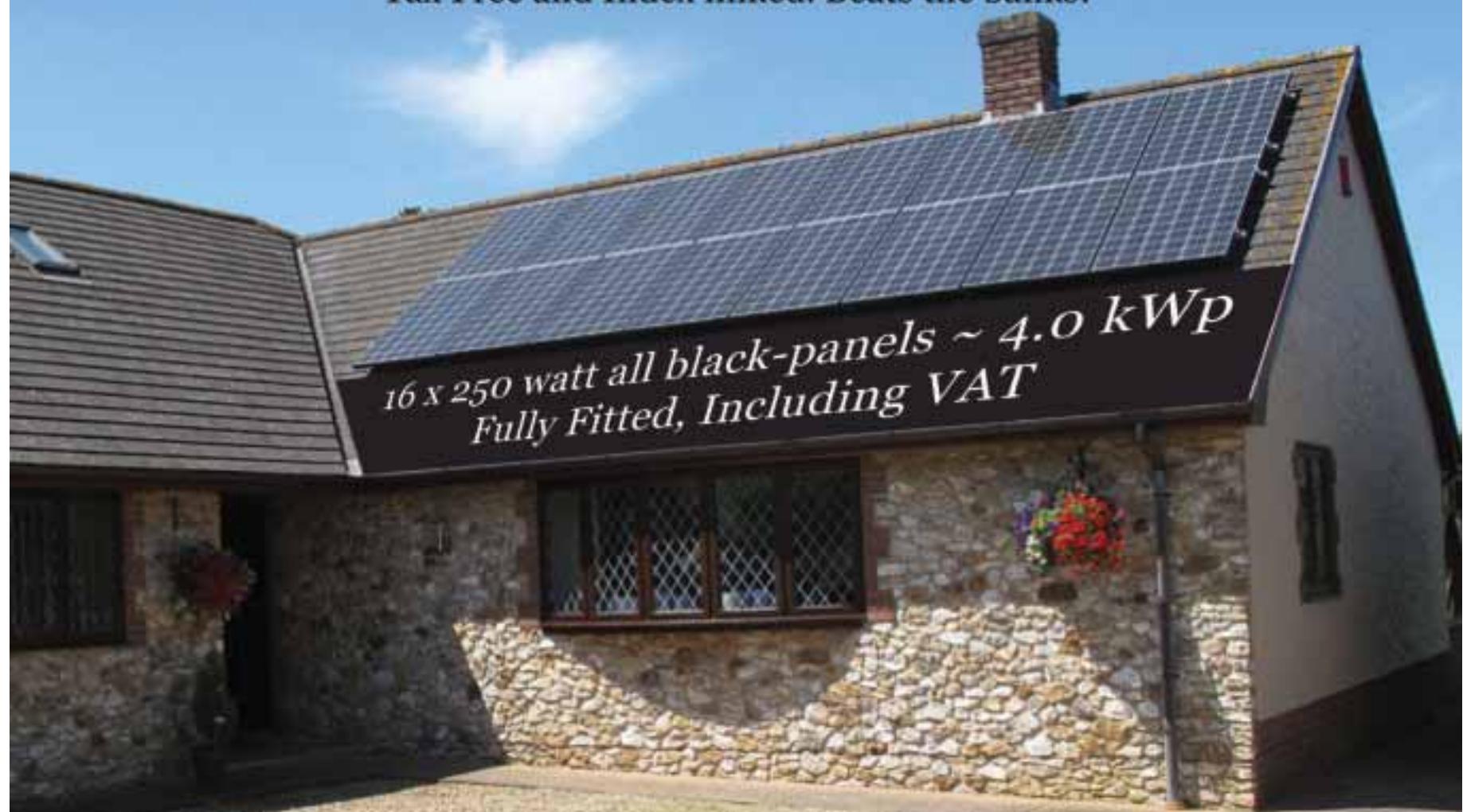
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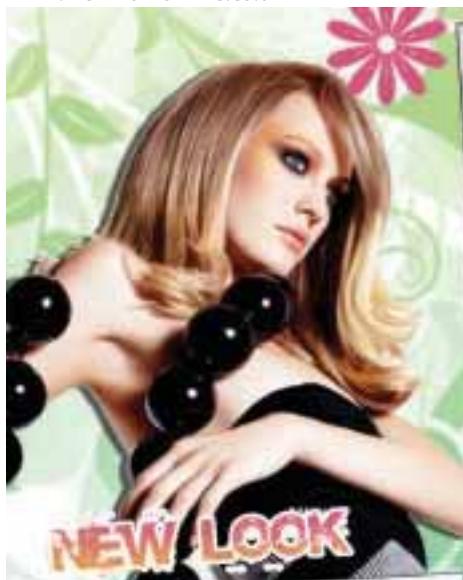
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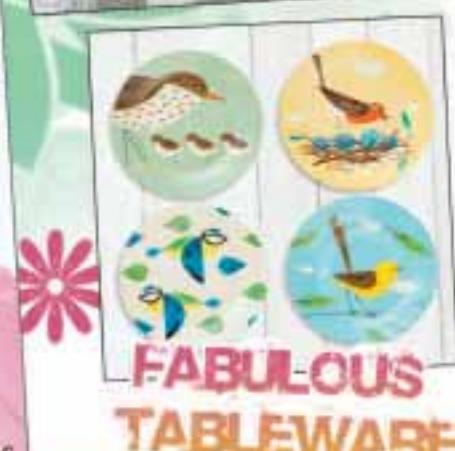
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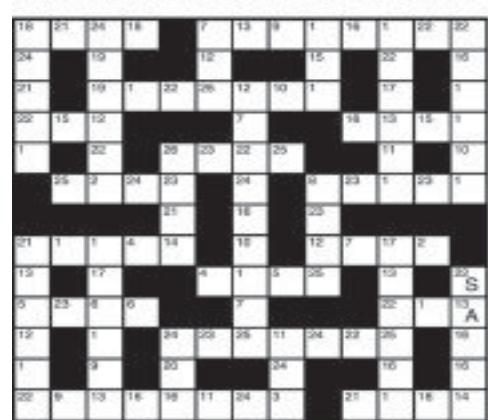


Brain Gym

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Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



W	K	N	Z	C	R	I	G	P	H	Q	T	M
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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

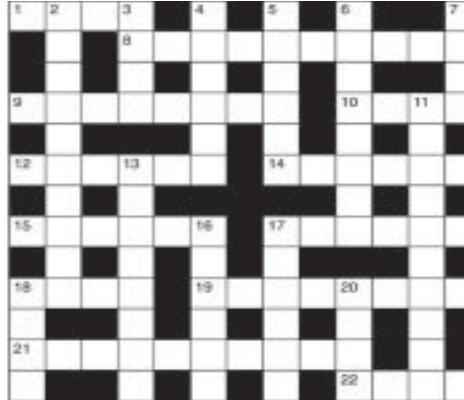
Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

Cryptic Clues:

Across

1. Fol some of the pearage (4)
 2. Early form of rock music (6,4)
 3. A glass ship (8)
 4. Cars go round the curves (4)
 5. Cut in whisky? (6)
 6. His map is transformed by accident (6)
 7. Slightly exaggerate an account and blush (6)
 8. Stand at one over the eight, we hear. Gracious! (6)
 9. It's used to make a toast in wine (4)
 10. Authorise mother to come back first, that's agreeable (8)
 11. Will he cure plain-sickness? (4-6)
 12. The advantage that being sharp gives one? (4)
13. Make a sound come-back in a speech original in content (4)
 14. Start off with a meal outside (6)
 15. It rouses after the manner of strong spirit (6)
 16. It's criminal to take a couple of tools in (8)
 17. A wise man changes as he grows older (4)
 18. A double-crosser with more than one sort of merit (3-5)
 19. Nothing illogical about a boy (8)
 20. An artist has to draw it to live! (6)
 21. Workers that supply most of our wants (4)
 22. Measure about is hundred to start with (4)



Quick Clues:

Across

1. Stumble (4)
2. Hateful (10)
3. Couple (4)
4. Glass vessel (6)
5. Centre (6)
6. Lax (8)
7. Despatched (4)
8. Unlikely (10)
9. Control (8)
10. Inform (4)
11. Almarac (8)
12. Hue (6)
13. Deal out (10)
14. Profound (4)

Down

1. Relative (10)
2. Infrequent (6)
3. Not liable (6)
4. Despatched (4)
5. Habit (6)
6. Shirk back (6)
7. Hue (6)
8. Nest (4)
9. Want (4)

Sudoku

5	1	3						4
4			9					6
	9			4	8			
			7		8		2	
8	1			2		7		
7		4	6				9	
2	5					9		
3		4			2			
6	2	9	7	5				

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

1	1	3	5	9	7	4		
2	3	4	1	7	6	8		
7	4	8	2	9	6	3	5	
3	9	2	5	8	4	7	1	6
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LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS:
CRYPTIC - Across: 2. Fault; 3. Project; 9. Embargo; 10. Serif; 12. Agreements; 15. Renaissance; 16. Series; 19. Mansions; 21. Willing; 22. Ledge; Down: 1. Alphaville; 2. Bulbs; 3. Bir; 4. Oppose; 6. Consumer; 8. Herring; 11. Fishmonger; 13. Gain-said; 14. Ensemble; 16. Damage; 17. Finds; 20. Nile; QUICK - Across: 7. Curve; 8. Trotter; 9. Indigo; 10. Elver; 12. Aristocrat; 15. Triviality; 18. Label; 19. Temple; 21. Control; 22. Dread; Down: 1. Octo-pent; 2. Grade; 3. Well; 4. Stress; 5. Foremost; 6. Slavery; 11. Retrograde; 13. Railways; 14. Disband; 16. Little; 17. Sheet; 20. Mode.



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There's Gold in them there Hills!

AFTER the hysteria of the California Gold Rush faded during the 1850's, rumours began to spread of gold being found in the Rocky Mountains and several small parties explored the region.

Then, in late July 1874, the 7th Cavalry led by Colonel George Armstrong Custer searched the Black Hills, Dakota, for a location to establish an army post. Gold was found on land that had been ceded by the Treaty of Laramie 1868 as land for the Great Sioux Reservation. The gold miners didn't really care that they were taking gold from the land that the Indians owned and some miners were still sneaking in even after they were told to stay out of the Indian territory ~ the Black Hills Gold Rush had begun!

By the autumn of 1875 there were an estimated 500 miners in the area and prospectors from Montana had located deposits of gold in the Black Hills, paying between twenty to forty cents to the pan. For those early discoverers, each spade of earth revealed a veritable fortune in gold. A mere nine months later, a million dollars of gold at \$20 an ounce had been taken from the Black Hills and approximately 10,000 people populated the Black Hills, with 5,000 of these in Deadwood.

During the building of the railroad between 1876 and 1890, gold was shipped out of the Black Hills by stagecoach. The summer of 1876 saw \$500,000 worth of gold shipped out of Deadwood. It was transported in iron safes in armoured treasure coaches, some of which carried \$200,000 worth at once. One such coach in 1877 carried \$350,000 and weighed in at just under half a tonne. The coaches made vulnerable targets for bandits and Indians and therefore sharpshooters were hired to protect them.

One such famous hired hand was known as Calamity Jane ~ a hard-bitten, gun-toting tomboy. Her story was written into a musical comedy ~ CALAMITY JANE ~ which will be staged at the Marine Theatre in Lyme Regis by Members of Lyme Regis Operatic Society from May 14th to 18th.

Calamity Jane will be played by Nicky Sweetland who comes in for a lot of teasing about her lack of femininity and her tendency to enhance her stagecoach stories by Wild Bill Hickock, played by Ian Crew. The character of Francis Fryer will be performed by John Challis and calls for one scene in drag! Scott Robson and Sian Dernley will provide the romantic element, while smaller roles are taken by Brian Boyt and Tracey Dare. The director, Nick Lawrence, is putting the cast through their paces with the enthusiastic assistance of Rachel Worsley who is choreographing the big numbers such as "Just blew in from the Windy City" and "Careless with the Truth". It will be a show worth seeing!

Tickets are £11 each (with a £5 concession for children) and will be on sale at the Box Office run by Fortnam Smith & Banwell in their new premises at 53 Broad Street in Lyme Regis and they will be pleased to assist by telephone on 01297 445666.



◆ Gold miners in the Black Hills, South Dakota

ABBOTSBOURG SUBTROPICAL GARDENS HOSTS GIANT EASTER EGG HUNT

FLUFFY bunnies and giant chocolate eggs are some of the prizes on offer at a Giant Easter Egg Hunt at Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens this upcoming bank holiday weekend.

Families are being invited to join the annual choc fest and rummage in the Jurassic undergrowth. The Giant Easter Egg Hunt takes place over the course of four days from Good Friday, March 29th, Easter Saturday, March 30th, Easter Sunday, March 31st to Monday, April 1st. Visitors who are lucky

enough to find the Golden Horseshoe can win one giant chocolate Easter Egg every day. Other smaller tokens will be hidden near the pathways so there is no need to clamber through the flowerbeds. These tokens can be exchanged for one of 8,000 yummy Cadbury's Crème Eggs (there will be a maximum of one egg per person).

The finders of the Wexsex FM bug will be presented with a Fluffy Easter Bunny – there is one each day waiting to be given

away. Other free activities on offer include a children's entertainer, bouncy castle and face painting.

General Manager of Abbotsbury Tourism, John Houston, said: 'Come and enjoy a traditional Easter Egg hunt on a grand scale at Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens. There's a real sense of rebirth and rejoicing as the Spring blossoms unfurl here.'

Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens are open from 10am to 6pm. Last admission is 5pm. Normal admission prices apply.

Winner of BBC Folk Award for best newcomer comes to Marine Theatre

Performance follows second album release and Jools Holland performance

SINCE Sam Carter released his debut album 'Keepsakes' in 2009, there has been a mounting excitement about this songwriter, guitarist and singer.

At the time he was an Emerging Artist In Residence at The Southbank Centre in London and has since supported Bellowhead on a UK tour, performed in the Middle East and UK with the British Council's 'Shifting Sands' project, played to thousands as part of the all-star line-up for the tour 'The Lady: A Homage To Sandy Denny', performed on major venue and festival stages in his own right and walked away with Horizon Award for best newcomer at the 2010 BBC Radio 2 Folk

Awards. And his arrival hasn't gone unnoticed by some of the finest singer-songwriters and guitarists in the world today. In the three years since 'Keepsakes' was released he has performed alongside all of the following: Nic Jones, Martin Carthy, Richard Thompson, Chris Wood and Martin Simpson.

Sam released his second album, 'The No Testament', in August 2012, which was soon followed by a performance on 'Later... with Jools Holland'.

Don't miss this chance to catch the talented singer-songwriter when he plays at The Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis, next Thursday, March 28th. Doors open 7.45pm, support starts at 8pm, and Sam will be onstage from 8.50pm.

Tickets cost £12/£11, and a Theatre-Friends discount is available. To book visit www.marinetheatre.com or call 01297 442138.

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Sam Carter



Spring Music for March

LOCAL violinist Alexandra Ennis will perform 'Spring' from Vivaldi's famous Four Seasons with the Bridport Chamber Orchestra on Sunday March 24th, at St Swithun's Church, Bridport. Alex graduated with Distinction from the Trinity College of Music in London and followed this with a very varied career playing as a freelance performer in England and

abroad. While coaching the Antigua and Barbuda Philharmonic Orchestra she met her Jamaican husband Paul, and returned to play and teach in Somerset and Dorset. She leads not only the Bridport Chamber Orchestra, but also the Somerset County and Axe Vale Orchestras. Alex also plays folk fiddle with the Hobson's Choice barn dance band and in Thalia, a violin and guitar duo.

The concert, on Sunday, March 24th, starts at 3pm and will be followed by the very popular teas with home-made cakes. Tickets at £8 (students free entry) will be available from the Music Shop and Book Shop in Bridport and on the door.



The Bridport Chamber Orchestra

Conductor: David Price, Leader: Alex Ennis

Spring Concert

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SUNDAY 24th March at 3pm

Soloists: Alexandra Ennis - Violin

Stuart Ellsmore - Trumpet

Lynn Carter - Oboe

Sally Hedges - Flute

Vivaldi - 'Spring' from The Four Seasons

Mozart - Divertimento in D

J S Bach - Brandenburg Concerto No. 2

J C Bach - Sinfonia in D for Double Orchestra

J W Hertel - Concerto for Trumpet and Oboe

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Student admission free.

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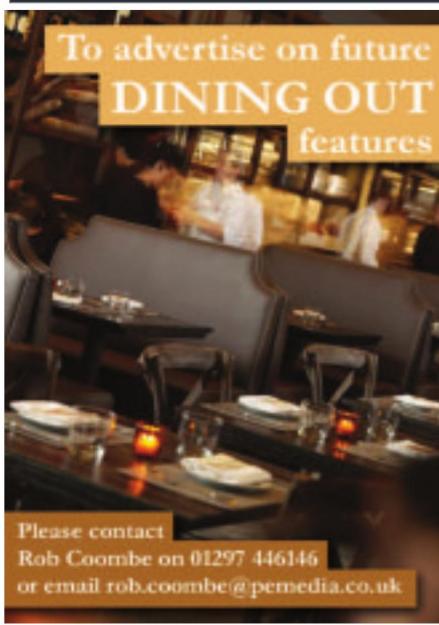
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A fantastic sea front location, as made famous by Broadchurch

ELIPSE is an Italian café bistro, located on the sea front, opposite the new pier, in West Bay, open every day.

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Everything on the menu at Ellipse is freshly made by the two new Italian Chefs. All the pizza and bread dough is home made, they bake their own fresh bread and cakes daily, make their own desserts, and cook authentic Italian food, the way it would be cooked in Italy.

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Fresh, home made pizza,
available to eat in or take away

and minces the meat on his premises and prepares the beef and chicken by hand to Ellipse's exacting requirements. Every single egg used in the restaurant is free



range, and they insist on the freshest fish and seafood available.

There is a wide range of gluten free food available, so you can still enjoy Ellipse's wonderful Italian food, without worrying about your allergy.

Starting on Good Friday, 29th March, the brand new menu will be available, along with longer opening hours for the summer season. A sample of this new menu can be found on the page opposite. Ellipse uses only the best ingredients they can find, and source everything from local suppliers where possible.

The owners of Ellipse would like to take this opportunity to say how very grateful they are for all the local support they receive. Ellipse is very much a part of the community, and is there for the locals first and foremost.

This month: ellipse bistro, West Bay

Antipasti starters

Bruschetta ~ Toasted Italian bread topped with fresh tomato, garlic, fresh basil, olives	£4.50
Crostini alla Toscana ~ Toasted Italian bread with a trio of toppings; chicken pate, mushroom and mozzarella	£5.25
Fungi Trifolati ~ Garlic mushroom with white wine and tomato sauce	£5.50
Olives and Bread ~ Mixed marinated olives & our home made bread	£4.25
Pane all'aglio ~ Garlic Bread	£3.25
Pane all'aglio e formaggio ~ Garlic Bread with Cheese	£3.75
Zuppa del Giorno ~ Home made soup of the day with bread	£5.00
Zuppetta di Pesce ~ Homemade seasonal fish soup with bread	£6.00
Bread & Oil ~ Home made bread with olive oil & balsamic vinegar	£3.50

Pizza

traditional stone baked 12" pizzas
(* price for 8" pizza)

V Margherita ~ £8.25 *£5.25

Tomato, Mozzarella, Oregano

Tropicana ~ £9.75 *£6.75

Tomato, Mozzarella, Ham, Mushroom, Pineapple

V Pizza ai Vegetali ~ £9.75 *£6.75

Tomato, Mozzarella, Roasted Seasonal Vegetables, Fresh Basil

Festino di Carne ~ £9.95 *£6.95

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Primavera ~ £9.95 *£6.95

Mozzarella, Cherry Tomatoes, Rocket, Parma Ham, Parmesan Shavings

V Pizza dello Chef - £9.95 *£6.95

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Diavola ~ £9.95 *£6.95

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Why not personalise your pizza by adding any of our toppings for £1.50 each

Calzone folded pizza

Classico - £9.95

Tomato, Mozzarella, Parma Ham, Mushroom

V Vegetariano - £9.75

Tomato, Mozzarella, Mixed Roasted Vegetables, Olives

Pasta

Spaghetti Carbonara ~ £8.75 (available without cream)
Made the traditional way with Pancetta in a rich egg yolk & cream sauce, topped with black pepper and Parmesan
Lasagne Al Forno ~ £9.75
Our special recipe oven baked beef lasagne, served with home baked Italian style garlic bread
Tagliatelle Bolognese ~ £8.95
The authentic Bolognese, as set down by the chamber of commerce in Bologna, Italy in 1982, with egg ribbon pasta
V Crespelle ~ £8.95
House made pancakes, filled with Ricotta cheese & spinach, oven baked with béchamel & tomato sauce
V Penne Arrabbiata ~ £8.50
Short tube pasta with garlic, chilli, olives in a tomato sauce
Penne Pollo Arrabbiata ~ £9.50
Short tube pasta with Chicken, garlic, chilli, olives in a tomato sauce
Tagliatelle al Salmone ~ £9.50
Egg ribbon pasta with brandy, smoked salmon & cream
V Spaghetti Trapanese ~ £8.75
Long pasta with garlic, toasted almond, home-made roast tomato, basil
Tagliatelle di Mare ~ £11.75
Egg ribbon pasta with seasonal seafood, fresh tomato & basil pesto

Secondi main course

V Melenzana Alla Parmigiana ~ £7.95
Layers of aubergine, tomato sauce and mozzarella, topped with parmesan shavings.
House made Fish Cakes ~ £10.95
Our wonderful house made fish cakes, containing chunks of fish, served with potato wedges.
Fantastico ellipse Burger ~ £9.75
Our home made prime beef burger with Parmesan cheese, served in a home made ciabatta roll, with hand cut potato wedges, cherry tomatoes & spring onions caramelised in balsamic vinegar
V Risotto agli Asparagi ~ £8.95
Arborio rice with asparagus & oven roasted tomato topped with parmesan
Risotto alla Scoglio ~ £11.95
Arborio rice with seasonal seafood, white wine, fresh tomato, garlic and chilli
Petto di Pollo ~ £11.95
Free range chicken breast stuffed with mozzarella & basil pesto, wrapped in pancetta, served with seasonal vegetables and potatoes
Bistecca al Balsamico ~ £15.95
8oz sirloin steak seared with onion, red wine, balsamic vinegar & mushroom, served with seasonal vegetables and potatoes
Piatto Pizzicarello (for 2 people) ~ £14.95
A platter of mixed cheeses, meats, salami, olives, tomato & bread, to share

Insalate salads

Pugliese ~ £8.95
Mixed baby leaves, roasted tomato, cucumber, olives, red onion, walnuts and crumb-blend goats cheese
Pollo ~ £8.95
Strips of roast chicken served on a bed of mixed leaves with croutons and parmesan shaving
Di Mare ~ £8.95
Rocket leaves, fresh tomato, fresh dill, spring onions
Prawns & Smoked Salmon, Marie Rose & lemon dressing

All our salad are dressed with our special Ellipse dressing and served with bread

Contorni side dishes

V Insalata Mista Mixed green salad	£3.75
V Insalata di Pomodori e Cipolle Tomato and onion salad	£3.75
V Peperone Arrostito Grilled Italian sweet pepper	£3.75
V Home made roasted potato wedges	£3.00
V Small bowl of olives	£3.00
V Bread Basket	£3.00

Sandwiches available 12am to 5pm

served with hand cut crisps, leaf salad with balsamic syrup garnish

Fresh Lyme Bay Crab	£8.50
Chicken & Home Made Pesto	£6.50
Brie & Cranberry	£5.75
Bacon, Brie & Cranberry	£6.25
Smoked Salmon & Soft Cheese	£7.50

Dolci desserts

Tiramisu	£4.95
Traditional light Italian dessert made with layers of sponge fingers soaked in amaretto coffee liquor, whipped mascarpone cream and dusted with cocoa	
Pannacotta al Limone	£4.95
Home made fresh cream dessert infused with lemon, served with seasonal fruit	
Chocolate Brownie	£4.95
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Vanilla or Pistachio Ice Cream	£3.95
Two scoops of ice cream	
Cheese Board	£6.95
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Start your day with one of our Breakfasts

Served daily from 9am to 11:30am

The ellipse Superior breakfast - £9.75
2 fried eggs, 2 rashers bacon, sausage, black pudding, mushrooms, baked beans, cherry tomatoes, toast, tea, or regular Americano coffee

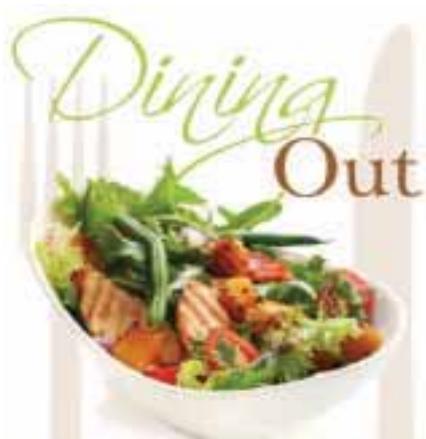
The ellipse Classic breakfast - £8.50
fried egg, rasher bacon, sausage, mushrooms, cherry tomatoes, toast, tea or regular Americano coffee

V Veggie Breakfast - £9.25
2 fried eggs, 2 veggie sausages, mushrooms, baked beans, cherry tomatoes, toast, tea or regular Americano coffee

V Eggs Florentine - £8.95
Eggs Royale - £8.95
3 Egg Omelettes - £6.25
Choose from mushroom, Ham, Cheese or Tomato, additional fillings for 50p each

V Two free range poached or fried eggs on toast - £3.75
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View 2 Diary Dates**UNTIL TUESDAY MARCH 26TH**

LYME REGIS: Art Exhibition: 'Oils Two Ways' by Elaine Dixon and Phil Clayton. At the Malthouse Gallery, The Town Mill, daily from 10.30am-5pm. Free admission.

UNTIL WEDNESDAY APRIL 17TH

HAWKCHURCH: Art Exhibition at Fairwater Head Hotel – Favell Bevan-Arti is a local artist whose work encapsulates the beautiful Jurassic coast. Viewing times are 10am to 7pm and entrance is free. Telephone 01297 678349 for more details.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 20TH

EPE: West Dorset Decorative & Fine Arts Society meeting at Highlands End Leisure Centre. Talk: Mr Timothy Schroder Rivals in Magnificence: Gold and Silver at the Courts of Henry VIII and Francis I. From 2.30pm. For membership details call 07972 472029.

THURSDAY MARCH 21ST

BRIDPORT: Coffee & Chat as usual but ALSO starting Mens Coffee & Chat separate group. Both at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

FRIDAY MARCH 22ND

BRIDPORT: Encore Theatre 'Fundraising Faves' – fundraising event at Bridport Arts Centre from 7.30pm. Organised by Encore Theatre Club. Tickets £8 including a light supper, available from Bridport Arts Centre Box Office (01308 424204).

WOOTTON FITZPAINE: Artsreach present 'Dalla' at the village hall. Exhilarating, dazzling, moving performance of Cornwall's indigenous music and song with fiddle, mandolin, bouzouki, clarinets, percussion and scoots (Cornish clogs) From 7.30pm. Tickets from 01297 560948. Bar and raffle with proceeds to the hall.

BRIDPORT: Canasta. Play cards in an easy and comfortable way while meeting and making new friends. Also a scrabble group starting. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. Please call for time and location for both events. Jennifer at 01308 538395

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club meeting at Woodmead Halls from 7.30pm. Speaker Penny Piddock with her presentation 'Wet Night In'. For more details call 01297 444733.

LYME REGIS: Lyme Regis Darts League v St George's Bermuda, also Blind Paris. 8.15pm for 8.30pm start. Entry £2 per player, at the Nags Head, Silver Street.

FRIDAY MARCH 22ND - SUNDAY 24TH

ABBOTSURY: African Music Workshops at Strangways Hall with Chris Diallo. Friday 7.30pm-10pm - Gongoma and singing workshop, £8. Saturday 10-5pm - day of learning Yakadi on variety of instruments including Balafon, Gongoma, Krin and Bolon, costs £40 (or £35 if paid in advance). Sunday 10am-5pm - day of Djembe and Doundoun (bass) playing, costs £30 (£25 in advance). Special price for all three workshops £52. Suitable for beginners and experienced players. A 2 course vegetarian charity meal will also be held on Saturday at 7.30pm in aid of the schools Chris Diallo supports in the Gambia. A short film will also be shown. Cost for charity meal is £12 per person. For more details call 07824 741172.

FRIDAY MARCH 22ND

POWERSTOCK: Easter Bingo at Powerstock Hut. Doors open 7pm, eyes down 7.30pm. Bar and soft drinks. In aid of Cancer Research.

SATURDAY MARCH 23RD

BRIDPORT: Fundraising stall for Brain Tumour Research at Bridport Arts Centre Foyer, 10am-12noon. Wear a hat and show your support. Details Sue Wilkinson, 01308 425037.

BRIDPORT: Day of International Folk Dance in Bridport featuring traditional circle and line dances from Eastern Europe with qualified teacher Jackie Charbit-Middleton. At Church House (St Mary's) Hall, South Street, Bridport DT6 3NW. Morning workshops (beginners 10.30 – 11.30; beginners and intermediates 11.45 – 12.45); bring and share lunch; workshop for intermediates 13.30 – 15.00; social dance for all abilities 15.30 – 17.30 with live music from local band Mythos. £3.50 for individual sessions or £12 all day ticket. Contact Mecki on 01308 423442 or at mecki1@yahoo.co.uk

BRADPOLE: A pub quiz in aid of Bradpole Pre-School at the Conservative Club. 7.30pm start. Entry Tickets are £1.00 per person, with a maximum of 6 persons per team. There will also be a raffle and Chinese Bingo. Come along for a fun night and to help support Bradpole Pre-School.

BRADPOLE: Bradpole Pre-School Easter Egg Trail will be starting from Bradpole Village Hall between 10am to noon. Entrance is £1.50 per child, family and friends are all welcome. Tickets are available in advance from Bradpole Pre-School, please ring 01308 456668.

WOOTTON FITZPAINE: Dalla singing workshop at the village hall. Learn a Cornish shanty or two and some Cornish language. For more details call 01297 560948.

ROLL UP FOR FAMILY FUN AT CIRCUS WONDERLAND

CIRCUS Wonderland, UK's newest circus, is coming to Bridport next month and here's your chance to get some free family tickets for what promises to be one of the most original and entertaining shows of its kind.

Askers Meadow is due to play host to Britain's most magical circus during the Easter holidays with shows running from Wednesday April 3rd until Sunday April 7th.

With side splitting comedy and daredevil thrills, Circus Wonderland takes you into a fantasy world of magic and excitement where anything can happen.

Get ready for a Close Encounter with the Duo Stefanelli, who fly through the roof of the Big Top in their glittering spaceship, while the amazing Alejandro will set pulses racing as he swoops and soars above your heads on his death defying trapeze.

Angel Bojilov can juggle and spin plates on sticks, all whilst perching precariously on a tightrope, and Hungarian State Circus star Laci will balance his wife Klaudia at the top of a twenty foot pole, on his head!

The show also features the award winning Popolino Musical Clowns, Kakehole and Popol, who will be arriving with a trunk full of tricks and will be accompanied by their lovable friend Bertie the cartoon Bear.

Performance times are Weekdays at 3pm and 7pm, Saturday at 2pm and 5pm, and Sunday at 2pm only. Tickets are £9.00 or £7.00 on the first day.

For further information contact the circus Box Office on 07531 612240 or visit their website www.circuswonderland.co.uk.



Kakehole the Clown

**WIN TICKETS TO THE CIRCUS!**

View From has teamed up with Circus Wonderland and are offering two family tickets of up to five people absolutely free, to see this wonderful spectacle of live entertainment that is all too rare in this country nowadays.

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Entries close at noon on Monday, April 1st and two families chosen at random by Kakehole will be notified later that day to arrange when you wish to come.

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**ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN WONDERLAND**

THOSE familiar with Lewis Carroll's literary menagerie of colourful characters will enjoy the clarity with which Christopher Wheeldon portrays them in dance. The whole Company is drawn into the fun, dancing a myriad of quirky characters: a twitchy White Rabbit, a tap dancing Mad Hatter, a sinuous caterpillar and so many more. Alice and the Knave of Hearts, deftly danced by two Royal Ballet Principal dancers, are at the centre of the story, and the role of The Queen of Hearts, another Principal, is wittily captured with hilarious results.

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland is a brilliantly imagined show and with a magical score, ingeniously inventive designs and a wealth of theatrical effects, has something for everyone to treasure. The show is a live ballet in three acts, including two intervals (approx running time 180 mins).

The Electric Palace will screen Alice's Adventures in Wonderland on Thursday, March 28th. Doors Open 6.30pm, with the show starting at 7.15pm. Tickets cost £14.50, £12.50 for E.P. members, £10 for children, available from the Box Office on 01308 424901 or online at www.seetickets.com.

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BRIDPORT: Bridport and District Gardening Club Spring Show in the United Church Hall, East Street. Open to the public 12-3.30pm. Flowers, cookery, arts and crafts, and photography. Homemade refreshments. For more details call 01308 459436.

SUNDAY MARCH 24TH

BRIDPORT: Grave Concerns: The Archaeology of Burial and Ritual by Chris Tripp. 10 weekly sessions, every Sunday at Quaker Meeting House from 7-9pm. £10 per session, per week. Refreshments and 2 site tours included. For more details call 0776 869 51 62 or visit xcavate.blogspot.com

MONDAY MARCH 25TH

BRIDPORT: Folk Dancing Club at 7.30-9.30 pm in the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club, with guest and club callers, recorded music and occasional live bands. No partner or previous experience required. Admission £2. Contact Mike on 01308 863 552 or Tim on 01308 423 382.

HAWKCHURCH: Hawkchurch Fete Committee Easter Quiz at the Old Inn from 8pm. £1 per person, teams of up to 5. Also the Easter Hamper Draw will take place after the Quiz.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 27TH

UPLYME: Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society AGM at the village hall, followed by Cookery Demo: Pam Corbin will demonstrate some uses of 'Wild Garlic' in cooking - An event to make your mouth water! Members free Non Members £2 Details 01297 444034 or www.ulrhs.wordpress.com/

THURSDAY MARCH 28TH

LYME REGIS: Lyme Regis Art Society's Annual Exhibition Preview Evening 6.00 p.m. – 8 p.m. being held at Lyme Regis Town Mill Malthouse Gallery.

BRIDPORT: Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

THURSDAY MARCH 28TH - MONDAY APRIL 1ST

LYME REGIS: Lyme Regis Art Society's Annual Exhibition 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. being held at Lyme Regis Town Mill Malthouse Gallery. Free Admission.

FRIDAY MARCH 29TH

BRIDPORT: St Catherine's Pre-School Easter Fun Day from 1-4pm. Easter egg hunt, crafts, refreshments, face paints. £5 per family. Telephone 01308 424441 for more details.

SATURDAY MARCH 30TH

BRIDPORT: Silent Disco at Bridport Arts Centre. 1-6pm for all ages, admission £3. 8pm - 1am for 16+, admission £5. Tickets for BAC box office on 01308 424204 or online at www.bridport-arts.com/events/silent-disco

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439. **CHARMOUTH:** Royal British Legion Womens Section Charmouth Branch, Easter Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale at the Village Hall, Wesley Close. From 10am-12noon. Tombola, Cakes, Produce and Gift Stall, Admission £1 to include Tea or Coffee. Everybody Welcome.

LYME REGIS: The 3 Brewers: Town Mill, Mighty Hop and Art Brew combine forces again to present the Lyme Regis Beer Festival from 12noon-11pm in the Marine Theatre. Attractions include local hand-crafted real ales and cider, hot food and local music from Delta Tango 7 in the evening. Tickets £5 on the door or £4 in advance. More details are on the website www.3brewersbeerfestival.co.uk

LODERS: Annual Bumper Jumble Sale and Coffee Morning at Loders Village Hall, from 10am-12noon. Fundraising for Loders Young Players - Free car park. Contact details Kim 01308 456222 or Lisa 01308 427210

LYME REGIS: Join local artist Lynda White for the opening of her new exhibition at the Rotunda Gallery, Lyme Regis Museum, from 6-8pm. Called 'Beach Treasure'; Lynda's show includes a preview of her exciting new 3D work for ArtsFest's re:collection initiative, alongside a series of her most recent paintings of Lyme Bay and its beaches. The exhibition runs from March 30th until May 19th, open daily 10-5. This is the third of five shows in the re:collection project which is supported using public funding by the National Lottery through Arts Council England. For further information, visit www.lymeregisartsfest.com or www.lymeregismuseum.co.uk

SUNDAY MARCH 31ST & MONDAY APRIL 1ST

LYME REGIS: Hobby & Craft Fayre to be held at The Pilot Boat Inn from 10.30am. Stalls to include locally Handmade Crafts and Collectables. Profits to "Force" Cancer Charity. For more details call Jean on 01297 21508.

**CINEMA
LISTINGS**

Friday, March 22nd
- Thurs, March 28th
 ALL LISTINGS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

LYME REGIS REGENT
 Broad Street, Lyme Regis
 Tel: 0871 230 3200
www.scottcinemas.co.uk
Jack The Giant Slayer ^{12A}
 Fri, Mon, Tue: 16.50, 19.40
 Sat, Sun, Wed: 14.00, 16.50, 19.40
 Thu: 16.00
*Alice's Adventures in
Wonderland (LIVE)* ^{12A} Thu: 19.15
Hope Springs ^{12A} Thu: 10.30am

BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE
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I Give It A Year ¹⁵
 Sun: 19.30,
 Thu: 13.00, 19.30

DORCHESTER PLAZA
 32 Trinity St, Dorchester
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www.plazadorchester.com
Jack The Giant Slayer ^{3D} ^{12A}
 Fri-Wed: 20.40
The Croods 3D ^U Fri-Wed: 18.15
Identity Thief ¹⁵
 Fri, Mon, Tue: 18.00, 20.30
 Sat, Sun, Wed: 13.00, 15.30,
 18.00, 20.30
 Thu: 15.30, 18.00, 20.30
Jack The Giant Slayer 2D ^{12A}
 Fri, Mon, Tue: 17.30
 Sat & Sun: 12.50, 15.40, 17.30
 Wed: 15.40, 17.30,
 Thu: 15.40, 20.15
Monster Inc ^U Sat: 10.30am
Oz: The Great and Powerful 2D ^{PG}
 Fri, Mon, Tue, Wed: 17.20
 Sat & Sun: 12.00, 14.50, 17.20
The Croods 2D ^U
 Fri, Mon, Tue: 20.15
 Sat, Sun, Wed: 12.30, 15.00, 20.15
 Thu: 15.00, 17.45
The Incredible Burt Wonderstone ¹⁵
 Fri-Wed: 20.20, plus Wed & Thu: 15.05
*The Pirates! In an Adventure
with Scientists* ^U Sat: 10.30am
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 20.30, plus Sat & Sun: 10.20, 11.30
 Wed & Thu: 14.30, 20.30
The Croods ^U

Fri-Tue: 12.30, 13.30, 14.15, 15.00,
 16.00, 16.45, 17.30, 20.00
Welcome To The Punch ¹⁵
 Fri-Tue: 21.10

Side Effects ¹⁵ Fri-Tue: 19.40
*Hansel and Gretel: Witch
Hunters* ¹⁵ Fri, Mon, Tue: 12.15, 18.30,
 20.50, Sat, Sun: 18.30, 20.50, Wed:
 12.15, 19.45, Thu: 12.15

Jack The Giant Slayer ^{12A}
 Fri, Mon, Wed, Thu: 12.20, 13.15, 15.00,
 16.00, 17.40, 20.20, Sat, Sun: 10.35,
 12.20, 13.15, 15.00, 16.00, 17.40, 20.20
 Tue: 13.15, 15.00, 16.00, 17.40, 20.20
G.I. Joe: Retaliation ^{12A}

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Copies of the Application and associated information may be viewed online in the Public Register at www.marinemanagement.org.uk/publicregister.

Representations or objections in respect of the application should be made in writing, giving an address to which correspondence relating to the representation or objection may be sent, to the Marine Management Organisation, Lancaster House, Hampshire Court, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE4 7YH, or alternatively emailed to ellen.moir@marinemanagement.org.uk, within 28 days of 13 March 2013, quoting reference MLA/2012/00508.

The Marine Management Organisation will pass to the applicant a copy of any objection or representation we receive.

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF AN ORDER

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981 DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL (FOOTPATH NOS. 93, 67 & 68 UPLYME) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER 2011

On 25th February 2013 Devon County Council confirmed the above order made under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 and Section 53A(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

The effect of the order as confirmed will divert parts of public Footpath Nos. 93, 67 & 68, Uplyme running from a line near Lower Rhode Farm to a line running through fields to the southwest of Lower Rhode Farm, as shown on the order map.

A copy of the order and the order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge at the offices of East Devon District Council, Knowle, Sidmouth, EX10 9HL, from 9.00am to 4.00pm, Monday to Friday, or on request to the Clerk to the Parish Council. Copies of the order and map may be bought from the address below at the price of £5.00.

The order comes into force on 25th March 2013, but if a person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity, or that of any provision contained in it, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act 1980 as amended, or on the ground that any requirement of the Act, as amended, or of any regulation made under the Act has not been complied with in relation to the order, he or she may, under paragraph 2 of Schedule 6 to the Act, within 6 weeks from the date of this notice, make an application to the High Court.

DATED: 15th March 2013

JAN SHADBOLT County Solicitor, County Hall, Exeter EX2 4QD (Ref: JDH/B05299)

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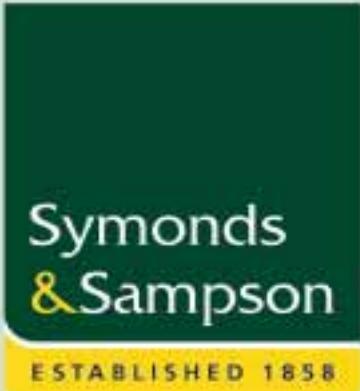
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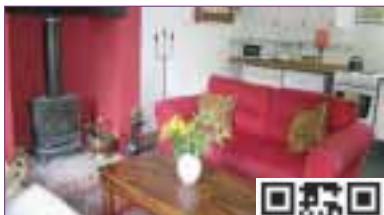
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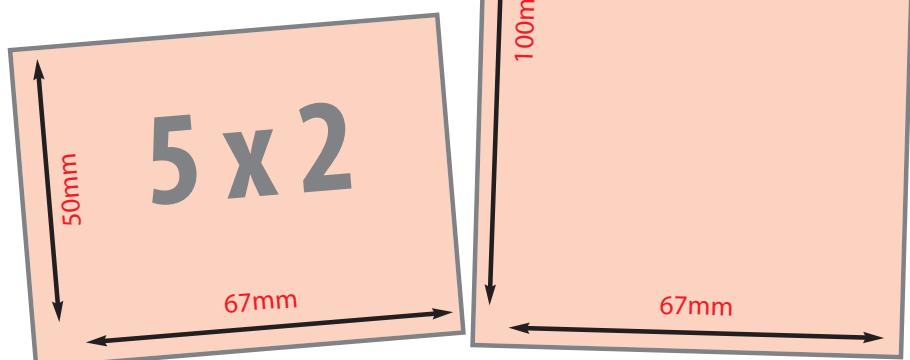
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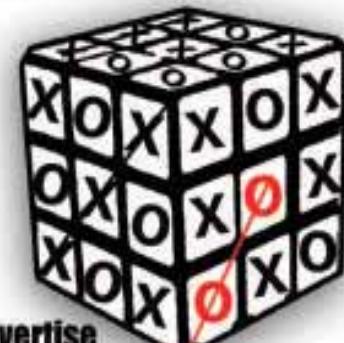
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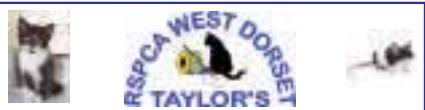
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Isuzu D-Max scoops Pick-Up of the Year Award

THE widely-acclaimed Isuzu D-Max has collected yet another accolade – the prestigious 2013 VansA2Z Pick-Up of the Year Award, announced in London on Thursday.

Launched last June, the D-Max has quickly established itself as a worthy successor to the highly popular Rodeo and has become a big sales hit, elevating the Japanese brand to second place in the

UK pick-up sales rankings.

Neil McIntee, editor of VansA2Z.com, said of the D-Max: "There's a seemingly endless supply of torque from the 2.5 litre commonrail diesel engine, a full choice of body styles and trim levels; it's an accomplished mud-plugger, it can match load capabilities with the best, and its external dimensions make it feel nimble to drive. The icing on the cake

is the generous five year/125,000-mile warranty."

The judges' full citation is at: <http://vansa2z.com/Vans-of-the-Year-Awards-2013-Pick-Up>

William Brown, Isuzu UK General Manager, commented: "This is a terrific accomplishment for Isuzu in a very competitive market, and demonstrates just how well the D-Max balances its tough and rugged capabilities with exceptional every day refinement. We've worked hard in the UK to ensure the vehicle's strong attributes are matched by its pioneering warranty, impressive standard specifications, low contract hire rates and high residual values. It's very gratifying to see those efforts recognised with this award."

The Isuzu D-Max range includes single, extended (with rear-hinged side access panels) and double cab body configurations. Double cab models are available in four specifications: Isuzu D-Max, Eiger, Yukon and Utah. Prices start at £14,499 (CVOTR) for the entry-level Isuzu D-Max 4x2 single cab and rise to £21,999 (CVOTR) for the top-of-the-range Isuzu D-Max Utah 4x4 double cab automatic.

The Isuzu D-Max is fitted with a completely re-engineered, 2.5-litre twin-turbo diesel engine and is available with a six-speed manual or five-speed automatic transmission. The pick-up is also covered by an industry leading five-year / 125,000-mile warranty.

Isuzu UK continues to present customers with additional great value offers, and recently introduced 'Work' and 'Work Plus' accessory packs, each saving buyers hundreds of pounds on the cost of the individual constituent parts.



▲ D-Max wins VansA2Z Award for Best pick-up 2013

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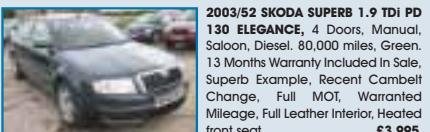
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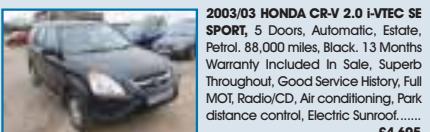
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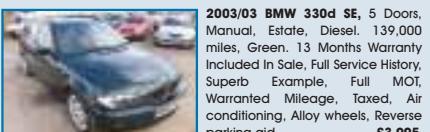
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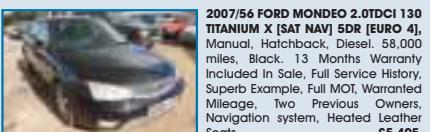
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New low emission D2 automatic and T2 petrol join the all-new Volvo V40 range

AN EXTENDED offer with further CO₂ reductions are the major driveline news on the model year 2014 Volvo V40s. Buyers of the V40 also have the opportunity to choose the new Sensus Connected Touch system with unique on-line possibilities, including voice-activated Spotify.

Prices for the new engines, automatic option and Sensus Connected Touch will be announced during April and then be available to order immediately.

D2 with improved emissions and transmission options

The V40 D2 and V40 R-Design D2 now benefit from being available to order with an automatic gearbox. CO₂ emissions (EU Combined, preliminary figures) are 102g/km (72.4mpg) in the standard and R-Design versions and 108g/km (68.9mpg) in the V40 Cross Country.

Announced at the Geneva Motorshow, the manual versions of the V40 D2 and V40 D2 R-Design (115hp)



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"By continuously cutting CO₂ emissions, we demonstrate our leading position within fuel efficiency improvements," says Doug Speck, Senior Vice President, Marketing, Sales and Customer Service at Volvo Car Group.

New T2 engine with 120hp

Available on the V40 and V40 R-Design, Volvo Cars has added a new variant of the four-cylinder, 1.6-litre engine to the range of direct-injected petrol engines. The Volvo V40 T2 has 120hp and 240 Nm of torque. CO₂ emissions with the manual gearbox are 124g/km (EU Combined, preliminary figures), which translates into fuel consumption of 53.3mpg.

Sensus Connected Touch - connectivity on a new level

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"The voice-activated Spotify is a unique, new feature. You can find the track you want just by saying its name. The voice-activated system works on all music sources connected to the Sensus Connected Touch," explains Doug Speck.

Hyundai Europe on track to meet 2013 goals

- Hyundai market share up to 3.8% in February
- Company looks to stabilise its share at 3.5% this year
- Focus on qualitative enhancements to encourage future growth

HYUNDAI increased its share of the European new car market to 3.8% last month, according to figures released by European motor industrybody, ACEA. Hyundai registrations rose by 1.4% to 31,753 units compared to the same period last year, while the overall market in February fell by 10.2%.

Allan Rushforth, Senior Vice President and COO of Hyundai Motor Europe, commented: "Although we do not anticipate continuous growth this year, we are satisfied with our performance so far in 2013. Our focus is to maintain our 3.5% share of the European market, while working hard on our long term projects to develop our brand image and increase customer loyalty by enhancing the Hyundai experience."

"Achieving these goals will lay firm foundations for future

Hyundai growth in Europe from 2014 onwards, by which time we expect the European car market to be showing signs of improvement."

Hyundai has made significant investment to strengthen its European business infrastructure recently – with a view to enhancing the quality of its operations.

The Hyundai plant in Turkey is currently undergoing a €475 million investment to increase its annual capacity from 120,000 to 200,000 cars a year. The company's European headquarters are also undergoing expansion, while a €5.5 million test centre located next to the famous Nürburgring race track in Germany will allow the quality and driving performance of Hyundai's Europe-designed vehicles to be further improved.

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Both **Bill Bailey cup** semi-finals were completed, and both went with form. Division three promotion candidates and cup-holders Combe A surged past Chard United Reserves 5-1 at Jocelyn Park.

An own goal from Fenton Day handed Chard the lead but Mark Stoodley levelled before half-time.

Combe took the lead when a mix-up presented Warren Gabbidon with the chance to tap in his 34th goal of the season.

From there Gary Biss's side didn't look back and cruised home with further goals from Stoodley, Jordan Allen and substitute Wayne Long.

Combe's opponents in the final at Beaminster on Thursday, April 18th will be Millwey Rise Reserves who had few problems in brushing aside Hinton 5-0.

Carl German nodded Rise ahead and top-scorer Mark Pike added a second before the break – his 14th goal of the season.

The result was assured when German headed home his second soon after the restart.

Keith Forsey made it 4-0 from the penalty spot and Marc Jenkins rounded things off for Rise who will be bidding to lift the trophy for the first time in the club's history.

In the day's only **premier division**

game Combe Reserves recorded their third clean sheet in four games but failed to register at the other end and were held to a 0-0 draw by visiting Shepton Beauchamp.

Shepton manager Aggie Smith will be pleased with the point as his team attempt to beat an immediate drop back down into division one.

Looking to make the trip in the opposite direction are Misterton. Adge Diment's side, currently top of **division one**, led 2-0 going down the slope at Barrington through Sandy Mesquita and Jose Marquez.

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Bill Bailey Cup SF

Chard Utd Res 1 Combe A 4
Hinton 0 Millwey Rise Res 5

Kenny Hodges Cup SF

Farway Res p Barrington Res p

Shepton Res p Combe B p

Premier

Combe Res 0 Shepton Beauchamp 0
Crewkerne Town p Farway United p
Millwey Rise p Beaminster p
Perry Street p South Petherton p

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Barrington 2 Misterton 2
Beaminster Res p Crewkerne Res p
Farway United v Winsham Utd
Lyme Regis Res p W & M Chinnock p
S.Petherton Res p Perry Street Res p

Division Two

Chard Rangers p Charmouth p
Dowlash & Don p Ilminster Colts p
Uplyme p Chard United p
Waytown Hnds p Crewkerne Rang p

Division Three

Drimpton p Misterton Res p
Ilminster A p Lyme Bantams p
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Cotley celebrates 60 years of racing

COMMENCING at 1.30pm on Easter Saturday (March 30th), the annual Cotley Point-to-Point will celebrate 60 years of outstanding amateur steeplechasing at one of the West Country's most charismatic racing venues, Cotley Farm, near Chard (TA20 3EP).

One of the highlights of this year's race meeting is an additional special restricted flat race in aid of the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance charity.

Open only to Cotley Hunt members riding their hunters, this promises to be a true amateur race, albeit a hotly contested one.

Vivyan Eames, who owns and farms the Cotley Estate and who has been Chairman of the Point-to-Point for over 35 years, said: "We already have ten entries for the sponsored charity flat race and as a result we are hoping to raise well over £1,000 for Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance."

"It's a mixed field of all shapes and sizes and includes two well known local pensioners."

Preview of runners in the Cotley Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance Charity Flat Race

Entries in this race are restricted to Cotley Hunt subscribers riding horses that have hunted a minimum of five days and who have never won a race under any recognised racing authority.

All horses will carry a minimum weight of 12st 7lb and riders must wear hunting dress and racing helmets.

Each rider must have raised £100 minimum in sponsorship and there will be a special prize for

the rider who has raised the highest amount.

What's on the Cotley race card?

IN addition to the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance charity race, the six main races on the 2013 Cotley Diamond Jubilee race card will be:

2 1/2 mile maiden for horses aged 4-7 years,

Mixed open (ladies and gentlemen riders), Open Maiden over 3 miles for horses aged five years and over.

Countryside Alliance Club race for horses that have not won a race in the past two years, Cotley Hunt members race, Restricted race for horses that have never won an open, intermediate or restricted race under Turf Authority rules.

Preview of local Wessex trainers/horses

LOCAL Wessex trainers with horses that might be running at the Cotley Point-to-Point includes:

Richard Barber, from Beaminster, with Glass'n A Half, Barneys Mate, According to John and Mustangallyrally.

Gordon Herrod, from Axminster, with Feel The Beat, Dalmation and Mullins Mill.

Sue Popham, from Wellington, with Carlos Gardel, Only The Best, Getaway Driver and Swanbrook.

Jane Western, from Forde Abbey near Chard, with Last Minute Notice, Shootin The Breeze and Gypsy Jack.

Colin and Julie Bright, from Combe St Nicholas near Chard, with Some Slam, ridden by Michael Legg (who is a jockey to look out for).



■ OVER TOGETHER: Action from last years Point-to-point at Cotley.
Photo by TERRY CRATE

Marilyn Burrough, from Yeovil, with Denise's Dip, On Oath, Standing Order and Jam Tomorrow. Charlotte Tizzard, from Trowbridge, with Coombe Hill, Little Cornham and Parstara. Sally Alner, from Okeford Fitzpaine, with Russian Rain, Spring Lord and Regal Spider - sharing the rides will be Martin and Catherine Atkinson. Mary Tory, from Blandford, with Miss Mid-

night, Crank Hill, Battle Bridge and Cantabilly. Caroline Hobbs, from Sutton Veny, with Bramagiri and Rokshi.

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Coming from the land down under!

UPLYME & Lyme Regis have signed Australian Alex Taylor for the upcoming 2013 cricket season.

The 21-year-old brings an impressive record from down under where he plays for Western Districts CC in Canberra.

Taylor, an off spinning all-rounder whose first captain was Australian test player Nathan Lyon, boasts career bests of 146 and 6 for 34.

First XI captain Steve Batey said: "It's an exciting development for the club after our promotion to Division D of the Devon Cricket league last season."

"We are looking forward to having Alex amongst the ranks he's due to land in the UK on April 23rd."

The new season commences on May 4th with a local-derby at coastal neighbours Seaton.



ALEX Taylor



GIVING IT A RIP: Taylor (right) in action for Western Districts in Canberra.

Yeovil Mixed Tennis

Division 1	Pld	Pts	
Martock A.....	12	80	Chard B.....
Melcombe Regis.....	11	75	
Sherborne.....	12	68	
Yeovil A.....	10	59	
Ilminster.....	12	56	
South Petherton.....	11	37	
Martock B.....	12	25	

Division 2	Pld	Pts	
Misterton A.....	10	87	
Weymouth A.....	9	44	
Somerton A.....	8	43	
Beaminster A.....	10	39	
Chard A.....	8	37	
Yeovil B.....	9	20	

Division 3	Pld	Pts	
Somerton B.....	10	75	
Wincanton A.....	9	60	
Bridport.....	10	38	
Yeovil C.....	8	37	
Martock C.....	9	31	

To play/awaiting results

Mar 16: Div 3 Martock C v Yeovil C

Mar 17: Div 4 Beaminster B v Somerton C, Div 3 Wincanton A v Chard B, Div 1 South Petherton v Yeovil A.

Mar 24: Div 3 Yeovil C v Chard B, Div 1 Yeovil A v Melcombe Regis, Div 2 Chard A v Weymouth A.

Division 1	Pld	Pts	
Rousdon Club.....	16	29	
Nags Head A.....	16	28	
Rock Point.....	15	14	
Royal Standard.....	16	9	
Talbot Arms.....	16	7	
Nags Z.....	15	7	

Division 2	Pld	Pts	
Janners.....	12	24	
Four Play.....	11	13	
Hunters Lodge.....	12	11	
George B.....	8	4	
Half an Octopus.....	11	2	

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LYME REGIS DARTS

Janners still undefeated

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WEST DORSET YOUTH CRICKET

Osprey Leisure Centre hosts youth cricket Celebration Day

A FESTIVAL of Cricket marked the culmination of the indoor cricket season at the Osprey Centre, Portland as players from all the participating clubs celebrated a successful campaign.

The day began with the players dividing into two teams to play an indoor 20/20.

Lovett's Leggy's batting first, showed some fine form with excellent stroke play and running as they accumulated 163-6 in their innings.

Strongbow's Sloggers set about the run chase with gusto and punished anything short of a length as the runs quickly mounted.

The Leggy's fought back with a succession of quick wickets, but could not prevent the Sloggers passing the required total with 4.2 overs remaining.

A ten over slog fest followed with Joe's Juggernauts amassing a respectable 104-5.

Jack's Jokers passed the total with eight balls remaining in a contest that highlighted all that is good in youth cricket.

Medals and trophies were presented by Osprey Manager Nigel Williams to each of the leagues winners and runners-up.

Mr Williams was full of praise for all the players, he said: "Osprey have been proud to host the indoor season. enjoyment

"It was great to see so many youngsters, not only participating, but enjoying playing competitive cricket and filling the gap between the outdoor seasons.

"Thanks must be given to Grant Nevan and Aarron Riley for organising the league on behalf of the kids, especially as so many parents asked if the league would be sponsored next year to which the answer was a resounding yes!"

HOCKEY

Controversial end to season as 'A' team are relegated

Okehampton A 2 West Dorset A 1

WEST Dorset A were relegated in controversial circumstances when they travelled to Okehampton A on Saturday.

Going into this last game of the season, the Bridport-based club needed at least a draw, depending on Taunton Vale D's result or to beat their hosts who were one point and one place below them remain in South East 2 of the Davis Wood Hockey League.

Things looked good at the break with West Dorset leading 1-0, but a number of controversial decisions from the home umpires in the second-half saw Okehampton score twice to secure their safety in place of their opponents, who now drop to South East 3.

South East 2 (bottom)	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Bridgwater B.....	22	9	2	11	-2	29
Teign A.....	22	10	5	7	-2	29*
Taunton CS A.....	22	8	6	8	1	23*
Okehampton A.....	22	8	1	13	-21	22*
Taunton Vale D.....	22	6	3	13	-15	21
WEST DORSET A.....	22	6	3	13	-41	21
ECV Hornets C.....	22	4	5	13	-22	17

West Dorset 3 Ashmoor 2

WEST Dorset's first team ended their season with a narrow victory over Ashmoor to secure seventh spot in South East 1.

Two goals from Dan Wyatt following short corners and a tap-in for Richard Coombs gave the hosts a commanding half-time lead, but second-half complacency saw a spirited fight back from Ashmoor who pulled back two of the goals to leave West Dorset hanging on at the final whistle.

South East 1	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Teign	20	18	1	1	73	55
Iscfa C	20	14	3	3	41	45
Sidmouth & Ottery B	20	11	3	6	14	36
Bridgwater A	20	10	3	7	43	33
Taunton Vale C	20	9	5	6	13	32
Yeovil & Sherbourne B	20	8	4	8	2	28
WEST DORSET	20	8	4	8	0	28
Sidmouth & Ottery C	20	7	3	10	-13	24
Ashmoor A	20	4	4	12	-31	16
Torbay A	20	4	2	14	-29	11*
North Devon A	20	1	0	19	-113	0*

Beaminster show fighting spirit

BOURNEMOUTH 4TH BEAMINSTER 2

BEAMINSTER, free of relegation, travelled to Chapel Gate for their penultimate game of the season but soon found themselves under pressure when 'keeper Lisa Condliffe pulled a hamstring after ten minutes.

Phoebe Stewart took her place, but with no substitutes to call on it meant the West Dorset side had to play the rest of the game with ten players.

Fortunately the home side had a few veterans among their ranks allowing the younger Beaminster players to counter their lack of experience with speed and fleet of foot.

However, while the visitors were trying to regroup Bournemouth took advantage, and went ahead with a flick from the top of the D following a short corner.

Beaminster weren't deterred and hit back when Danni Donovan fed Abbie Dare who beat the 'keeper in a one-on-one to level the score.

This settled Beaminster and they applied a lot of pressure to the home defence without getting the rewards they deserved so went in at the interval level.

This pressure continued in the second-half and they deservedly went ahead when Becky Early scored from the top of the D following a short corner.

However, a player short, Beaminster began to tire as the game progressed, and Bournemouth equalised five minutes from time with a flicked ball from a tight angle.

The two sides play each other again at Bournemouth in the final game of the season, and if Beaminster can avoid defeat they will finish fourth in Channel 1 Division of the West Clubs Women's Hockey League.

Channel Division 1	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Yeovil & Sherbourne II	17	15	2	0	61	47
Bournemouth III	17	11	3	3	25	36
Salisbury III	17	8	2	7	-1	26
BEAMINSTER	17	6	3	8	-6	21
Bournemouth IV	16	4	5	7	-15	17
Yeovil & Sherbourne III	17	4	2	11	-13	14
Salisbury IV	17	2	1	14	-51	7



OLYMPIC SUCCESS: Members of Skandia TeamGBR 2012

Photo by GEOFF MOORE

Bridport & District Darts League

Division One	Pld	Pts
BSC.....	18	32
Rob's Robbers.....	18	32
All Stars.....	18	26
Hands of Time.....	18	24
Nomads.....	18	22
Knapp Inn.....	18	19
New Order.....	18	15
Young Guns.....	18	13
Nags A.....	18	12
Bulbyboys.....	18	9
Elders.....	18	8
One for the Road.....	18	4
Stat leaders: Player wins 15 or more: Steve Smith (BSC) 94.44%. Highest finish: Steve Muford (Nomads) & Ryan Cross (Young Guns) both 160. Most 180s: Graham Knight 7.		

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Dat Team.....	17	25
The Family.....	16	23
Vikings.....	16	23
Odd Bod's.....	16	22
The Surgeons.....	16	19
Bobs Boys.....	17	18
Weigh Anchors.....	15	10
Royal Hawks.....	14	9
Young Darters.....	15	9
Midnight Runners.....	15	8
Rubber Johns.....	17	8
Stat leaders: Player wins 15 or more: Richard Carter (The Family) 93.75%. Highest finish: Bill Dedman (Weigh Anchors) 134. Most 180s: Nigel Bell (Rubber Johns), Richard Carter both 2.		

Division Three	Pld	Pts
The Capercaillies.....	18	27
Broken Arrows.....	18	25
Only Just.....	18	25
Poachers.....	18	24
Anchor Five.....	18	21
Red Devils.....	18	21
Mozzies Heroes.....	18	20
Cavaliers.....	18	13
Time Bombs.....	18	12
Whamo.....	18	12
Dodgers.....	18	9
Tiger Bees.....	7	9
Stat leaders: Player wins 15 or more: Andy Page (Capercaillies) 93.75%. Highest finish: Craig Collins (Cavaliers) 123. Most 180s: George Lessey (Poachers) 2.		

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Inbetweeners.....	18	32
All the King's Men.....	18	25
Tip Top Odds.....	18	25
Odds & Sods.....	17	24
Just One More.....	18	18
Royal Spaks.....	18	16
Sorted Odds.....	18	16
Oakey Cokey.....	18	14
Knockers and Nuts.....	18	14
The Dogs Danglers.....	17	13
Nats Niblets.....	17	11
Mix and Match.....	18	4
Stat leaders: Player wins 15 or more: Lily Essex (All the Kings Men) 94.44%. Highest finish: Paul Norman (Sorted Odds) 119. Most 180s: Fran Potter (Sorted Odds), Nick Pomeroy (Just One More) both 1.		

LADIES LEAGUE	Pld	Pts
Division One	Pld	Pts
San Souci.....	14	25
Tender Trap.....	14	25
Anchor Aces.....	14	18
Knight in Gals.....	14	15
Queensie Club.....	14	13
Sue's Rebels.....	14	12
Kings Arrows.....	14	11
Queen Bees.....	14	11
Against the Odds.....	14	9
Odds & Evens.....	14	1
Stat leaders: Player wins 11 or more: Sarah Chick (Tender Trap) 100%. Highest finish: Janet Collins (Queen Bees) 109. Most 180s: Wendy Scholler (Queensie of the Club) 2.		

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Castaways.....	13	21
Wildcats.....	13	16
Good Mates.....	13	15
Next Door.....	12	15
Cliff Hangers.....	12	14
Charles Angels.....	12	10
Hopless.....	11	9
Anchors Aweigh.....	12	7
Tiger Stripes.....	12	3
Stat leaders: Player wins nine or more: Tracy Wayland (Hopless) 100%. Highest finish: C.Burwood (Wildcats) 90. Most 180s: None.		

Swimmers Preliminaries Gala success

CHARD & District Swimming Club held their second Preliminaries Gala last weekend at Flamingo Pool, Axminster writes Hannah Pullinger.

The Gala, mainly for the 10 and under are intended to give the Club's newest and youngest swimmers a taster at competitive swimming at a fun, and friendly Gala.

The races in each of the four strokes were all one length only, and over 50 young swimmers took part supported by parents and friends watching from poolside.

Congratulations go to Harriet Copeman, Brianna Barrand, and Louis Rood who swam under 20 seconds for the first time in their 25m freestyle race and so achieved the club's Bronze Speed Badge.

young volunteers

Time-keeping and marshalling was undertaken by several of the club's older swimmers; Ben Fowler, Abi Dare, Jess Mathieson, Tessa

Down, Melissa Hanson, Lauren Real and Nathan Roberts, whilst Jamie Pullinger tried his hand as starter and enjoyed making as much noise as possible with the air horn; this group have, or are, taking part in the ASA South West Young Volunteer Programme, making it a truly 'team' effort.

All those taking part received a Club Certificate confirming their times, which were presented at the end by club chairman Eric van den Barselaar to: Jess Fowler, Daisy and Jimmy Brett, Abigail Greenslade, Helen Underwood, Leo Bonning, Eden McDonald, Holly and Cole Dickinson, Jasmine Voysey, Oliver Bright, Michael Moulding, Nancy and Posy Doble, Jacob Hale, Abi Lawson, Megan and Abbie Herbert, Leonie Housham, Joss & Harriet Copeman, Mia and Esme Huntley, Natasha Dower, Jamie Porter, Freddie Coles, Ben and Catherine Webb,



Brianna Barrand, Olivia Petrini, Jasmine McAuley, Imogen Waterhouse, Olivia Petrini, Matthew Humphries, Molli Riley, Molly Hunt, Freddie Loder, Millie

Downs, Baylei Callow, Oliver Rodger, Abi and Jack Morgan, Daniel and

Sarah Cawley, Caitlin Sloman, Tom and Flo McConnell, Chloe Wetherall, Daisy Russell, Niall Beauchamp and Louis Rood.

BOWLS

Team H closing in on title

WITH two weeks to go until the completion of Bridport Bowling Club's short mat league season Team H (Lucy and Derek Crocker, Peter Carnell, Sam Dunn, Derek Hoskins and Geoff Rumsey)

extended their lead to eight points at the top of the table with a 7-6, 5-8, 9-1 win over Team C.

This was as the result of Team B's (Sheila Douglas, Chris and David Robbins, Steve Bartlett and Pauline Newitt) defeat by Team F (Roger Humphreys-Smith, Mary Corfield, Marion and Toni Tocher) 11-4, 6-6, 1-10, which cost them two points.

Team G (Alan Brown, Peter Harrison, John Ireland, Peter Scott and Les Brake) kept up their winning run with a 11-8, 5-5, 10-6 success over Team E. Meanwhile Teams A and D shared the points in their match with a 6-5, 3-9, 10-4 result.

BRIDPORT'S Mixed Friendly squad enjoyed their excursion's into East Devon to play Sidmouth and Maderia with mixed fortunes.

Jan Briggs, David Aylott and Laura and Bob Taylor were top rink against Sidmouth, thumping their opponents 29-8.

Mel Hargett, John Davies, Jenny Harding and Peter Hunt were also on great form winning 24-15. Sylvia and Mike Fletcher, Beryl Stork and Brian Baker suffered the only reverse of the day going down to a very good four 11-24.

Hargett, Mike Fletcher, Gill Hunt and Brian Morgan were the only winning rink at Maderia, a 1, 3 finish saw them kick it 16-15.

Joan and Mel Griffiths, Beryl Stork and Max Dare and Briggs, Aylott, Mike Long and Phil Hedges went down 11-17 and 12-27 respectively.

Chris Minas, Joan Higman Ann Parkins and Mary Eastman picked up two points for the (B) team in the County League with a 25-15 win against Moonfleet (C).

Beryl Stork, Mary Corfield, Janet Bird and Mary Marsh trailed 6-31 after 17 ends. But a 3,4,2,3 finish gave them a respectable 18-31 score line.

BOB BUCKLER RACING

WITH STUART BROOM

Digger keeps them guessing

A BUG in the stables has meant a lot of locally-based Bob Buckler's horses have been laid low recently, leaving Double Dizzy as the yard's only runner recently.

Unfortunately, Tinker Time

who arrived from Jeremy Scott's point-to-point yard at the beginning of February brought a bug that has virtually closed Scott's yard, and has affected a number of horses at Buckler's Henley yard.

"It's one of those unfortunate things, but it has affected a number of our horses, particularly the younger ones who

have not yet built up resistance to such a disease.

"All we can do at the moment is treat them with antibiotics. Many of them are in work doing bits and pieces but not fit enough to race yet."

In the meantime "Digger" gave another superb display of jumping around Cheltenham's cross-country course in the Glenfarclas Handicap Chase over 3m7f course of varying jumps to finish tenth.

"He ran and jumped beautifully again, but does not have the speed to compete with the younger horses, but it is when

they turn for home and go back on to the race track which is drained and therefore much drier where he gets stuck for speed."

jumping superbly

The race had to be postponed

from Tuesday until Thursday be-

cause the cross-country course was originally frozen in some places.

"If they had run it on Friday when we had all that rain it would have suited him better as he likes soft ground.

"But now we must decide if he

has one more race in him, or to

retire him.

"He is still jumping superbly and is keen and happy, but we will take stock maybe later this week to assess his options.

"What he would make is a top class team chaser, where you have four horses in a team.

"He would thrive on that; his jumping ability is better than most, and he is quick over a shorter distance."

With most of his horses out of action, only **Mister Matt**, an older horse not struck with the bug, is likely to run in the next few days.

Buckler is looking at a race at Newbury of Friday.

Lyme Regis Golf Sublime Ladies wade through

WITH RICHARD JACKMAN

Sublime Ladies wade through

ON a very cold Sunday the men had a 3BBB competition with the best two scores to count. The winners on countback were Rob Crabbe, Jon Ebdon and Mark Colley with 71 points.

Runners up, also with 71, were father and son Roger and George Seed with playing partner Adrian Morgan.

In third place with 70 points were to Patrick Duke, Gareth Williams and Peter Speirs.

The following Thursday the ladies held a Stableford Competition.

In Division 1, 1st place went to Anne Humphreys with 37 points. In 2nd was Caroline Baker with 34 points and 3rd Jane Southcombe with 33 points. In Division 2 Jane Broom won with 35 points, 2nd was Hayley Rowland with 33 points and 3rd Hanna Jacobsen with 31 points.

In Division 3 top place was secured by Corinne Jones with 38 points, 2nd Karen Nicholson with 34 points and 3rd, Kathy Briggs with 26 points.

The following day Lyme Regis Ladies' team played in the 2nd round of 'The Mail on Sunday' competition and won 3-2 in appalling wet conditions against Honiton.

The team of Jane Southcombe (captain) Rosie Jackman, Caroline Baker, Emma Davies & Hanna Jacobsen are now awaiting to hear who will be their opponents in round three.

Brady Snaps

Wednesday, March 27th

BRADPOLE CLUB: Snaps; Junior Talent; Yondover Three; Brandy Snaps;

Altham Cup Semi-Final

Wednesday, March 27th

Bridport FC: Bangers v Castouts

TIGER: Whisky Chasers v Mean Machine

Lock Hansford Cup - 4th Round

Thursday, March 28th

Wanderers v Smithys boys, Castouts v The Dingles,

Slingers v Nelson Nobblers, Strawpeedees v Shipfaced

Mens Gerry Nichol Cup Semi-Final

Thursday, March 28th

CLOCK: Rejects v Rockets

West Dorset Club: Miss The Ball v Lively Lads

Highest individual score: M.Tozer (Smithys Boys) 93.

LADIES LEAGUE

Division A Pld Pts

Alleycats 15 30

Yo Yo's 14 23

Ginger-Gales 14 19

Hidden Talent 13 18

Brandy Snaps 13 16

Bad Girls 13 10

Tiger Lilies 13 8

Pinbathers 14 6

No Problem 13 4

The Shitzues 12 0

Highest Individual league score: G.Legg (Brandy Snaps) 81.

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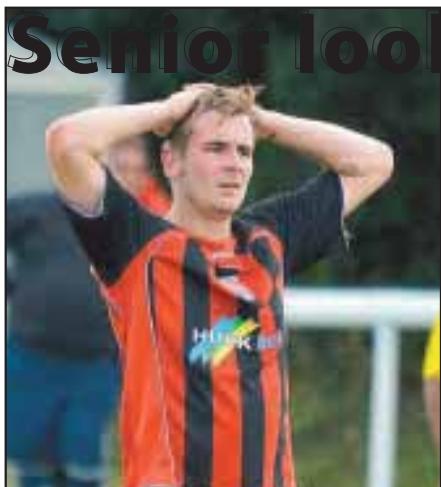
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INSIDE: West Dorset A Hockey team relegated



■ RETURNING: Russell Legg is back after suspension to boost the Bridport squad for the congested end of season run-in.

Photo by ROB QUINCEY Sportpix

BRIDPORT boss Trevor Senior saw last Tuesday's home game against fellow strugglers Winterbourne United as crucial in his side's fight to ensure Toolstation Western League Premier Division survival.

A win would put Bridport three points clear of their visitors with a game in hand, above Ilfracombe and possibly only two points behind Bristol Manor Farm with four games in hand.

"We could be doing with opening a little gap up on them, but we are also looking at Bristol Manor Farm, who we play on April 6th. They were some way ahead of us, albeit having played more games, but who are not in good form.

"We also have to play Ilfracombe, home and away, as well as Longwell Green Sports, who we entertain on Saturday, and Radstock Town, both of whom are catchable."

The Bees moved out of the bottom

three and above Winterbourne United on goal difference following their recent 3-1 victory over bottom side Barnstaple Town.

Victory would take them to 31 points from 27 games and in sight of beating last season's total of 34 points from 34 games.

"I know we have 38 games to play this season, but it would be good to beat last season's tally after 34 games to show we have made an improvement; that means six points from the next six fixtures.

"There are five or six sides in and around us that we have to battle it out to win the points.

"We still have some tough games against top of the table sides, but then so do all the others."

Unfortunately, Bridport will have to do it without the services of former Bee Jamie Symes who has been on

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loan at St Mary's Field for two months.

I was disappointed we couldn't keep Jamie for another month, but that is Dorchester's prerogative.

"I don't think it is a coincidence that the results have improved since he joined us. His presence certainly helped our game, and it is disappointing that he has gone back."

The Bees boss however still hasn't given up hope of getting him back before the end of the season.

"There is no reason why we can't sign him again on loan for another month, and so maybe in a few weeks time when Dorchester have a better idea of their position in the league perhaps we can get him back for the final push."

Saturday's trip to Brislington was postponed on Saturday morning leaving Bridport with 12 games to play in remaining six weeks of the season.

This will put a strain on Senior's resources, and the loss of Symes only exacerbates the situation.

On the plus side however Senior can call upon Russell Legg, now back after suspension, and Max Buckler who is now fit.

Although he still has the problem of keeper San Filkins not being available for midweek games through a change in the train timetables not enabling him to be able to return to university in time.

Looking to the run-in Senior added: "I said at the beginning of the season that I wanted us to take more points off the top teams and to turn more defeats into draws which we have done already, so we know we are capable."

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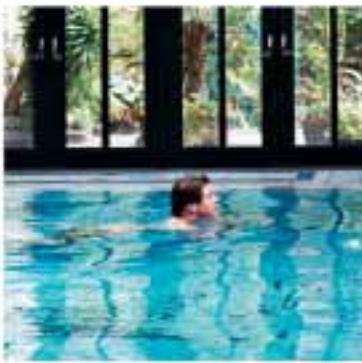
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